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SUFFRAGE BEATEN AGAIN IN SENATE; ONE VOTE LACKING

Resolution for Submission of
Amendment Receives 55
Votes in Favor and 29
Against.

IT WILL NOT COME UP
AGAIN THIS SESSION

Petition From Missouri and
Other Legislatures in Fa-
vor of Amendment Pre-
sented.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Woman
suffrage by Federal constitutional
amendment was beaten again today
in the Senate. The House resolution
for submission of the amendment
failed of adoption, with 55 votes in
favor of it and 29 against, one less
than the necessary two-thirds. The
resolution was called up at 12:49
o'clock and the roll call began short-
ly before 2. Most of the Senators
were in their seats, and the galleries
were crowded.

The suffrage advocates went into
the test knowing they lacked one
vote, but hoping to the last that it
would be won over.

How the Senators Voted.

Those voting in favor of the resolu-
tion were:
Democrats—Ashurst, Culberson,
Derry, Gore, Henderson, Johnson of
North Dakota, Jones of New Mexico,
Kendrick, Kirby, Lewis, McKellar,
Nixon, Nugent, Pittman, Pollock,
Randall, Robinson, Shafroth, Shep-
ard, Smith of Arizona, Thomas,
Thompson, Vardaman and Walsh—
21.

Unanimous consent was given for
consideration of the resolution. Be-
fore the debate began, petitions from
the Kansas, Michigan, Nevada, Maine
and Missouri Legislatures in behalf
of the resolution were presented by
Senators from those states.

Suffrage workers, before the Sen-
ate convened, visited many Senators.
Chairman Jones of the Suffrage
Committee announced that in other
attempts to get a vote on the meas-
ure would be made at this session.

STATE SENATOR STARTLES
CAPITAL BY HIS HANDS

David W. Stark Draws a Crowd in
House Where He Talks About
Tax Plans and "Robbery."

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 10.—Jeff-
erson City and the Legislature were
startled this morning when Senator
David W. Stark of Cass County ap-
peared in the corridors of the cap-
itol, distributing handbills which read
as follows:

"Big robbery! State officials,
State Legislature, big corporation
and moneyed interests are robbing
the people. Come to hear Senator
David W. Stark explain the situation.
House of Representatives, at 11
o'clock this morning, Feb. 10, 1919."

A large crowd gathered in the
House chamber, and at 11:10 Sen-
ator Stark came down the center aisle
of the House, tugging with him a
heavy suitcase.

He took the Speaker's stand and
introduced himself. He then an-
nounced that he would show that the
present taxation system of Missouri
is wrong and that Gov. Gardner's
plan to raise all revenue by indirect
taxation is also wrong. "The new
proposed plan is only a dream,"
Stark said.

Stark departed suddenly from his
discussion of taxes to say that since
he had robbed Adam of a rib and Eve
steal an apple, the people had been
robbed by their officials and repre-
sentatives.

TEXTILE STRIKE LEADER HELD

LAWRENCE, Mass., Feb. 10.—
Time Kaplan, secretary of the commit-
tee directing the textile strike here,
was arrested today on a Federal
charge of evading the draft.

Kaplan was taken to Camp Devens
to be turned over to army authori-
ties. It was announced he would be
charged with failure to register in
the draft either in 1917 or 1918.

Several hours after Kaplan's de-
parture for Camp Devens his wife
appeared at police headquarters with
his registration card, which showed
that he was registered at Pittsfield,
and placed in class five.

\$13,000, REGISTERED, MISSING

HARTFORD, Ark., Feb. 10.—
Postoffice officials today are investi-
gating the disappearance Friday
night of \$13,000 in currency from
registered mail sent by a Port Smith
bank to the Bank of Hartford.

The money was the payroll of the Central
Coal and Coke Co. of Hartford.
An empty mail pouch which had
been out open was found near the
station at Hartford.

NORTH AMERICAN CO. HEAD IS SUBPENAED BEFORE GRAND JURY

James D. Mortimer to Be Questioned
Regarding Financing of
Referendum Burglary.

A subpoena directing James D.
Mortimer of New York, president of
the North American Co. and a direc-
tor of the United Railways Co., to
appear before the grand jury tomor-
row has been issued by the Circuit
Attorneys' office.

The intended examination of Mor-
timer, it was learned, is connected
with the charges pending against
Bruce Cameron, superintendent of
transportation of the United Rail-
ways Co., whose trial on a charge of
burglary is set for March 2.

Cameron's indictment followed the
theft of referendum petitions, bear-
ing on the United Railways com-
promise ordinance from a safe in a
downtown labor union office. The
job was done under the immediate
direction of Julius Caesar Jackson,
a special agent of the company, and
he has been charged with having
given directions for the burglary.

Cameron has denied any knowl-
edge of Jackson's plan and the in-
quiry has been directed toward
learning whether any other official
of the United Railways had knowl-
edge of it, in whole or in part, also
how the employment of the men
who committed the actual burglary
was financed.

Mortimer has been in St. Louis
several days, staying at Hotel Jef-
ferson. He said, after his arrival
last week, that he did not come in
connection with United Railways
business. He said he had no active
connection with the company's af-
fairs, and knew only what he had
read in the newspapers about the
Mayor's recent agreement with the
company.

First Beer Stock Exhausted,
Stifel to Make Near-Butter

Union Brewing Co. Announces It
Will Turn Its Lager Business
Over to Anheuser-Busch.

The Union Brewing Co., in which
Otto F. Stifel is the principal stock-
holder, has notified its customers
that its stock of beer is practically
exhausted and that its business will
be turned over this week to the An-
heuser-Busch Brewing Association.

It is the first brewery here to run out
of beer since manufacture was
stopped Dec. 1.

While retiring from the brewery
business, the company will remain in
the manufacturing field, but its prod-
uct will be near-butter instead of
near-beer. The brewery at 2126 Gra-
ville avenue has been converted into
an oleomargarine factory and is now
ready to put the first of its product
on the market.

Stifel today said the new industry
employs 35 to 50 men. The company,
when operating its brewery, em-
ployed 100 men.

300 POUND RED SAFE STOLEN

A safe painted red and weighing
about 300 pounds was carried away
by burglars, who ransacked the
apartment of James W. Bemis, 5385
Pershing avenue, early yesterday.

Silverware in a sack, ready to be
carried away, was left in the dining
room, the burglars apparently in-
tending to return for it at some later
day.

A maid discovered the robbery
when she visited the home at 6:30 p.
m. She told the police the robbers
had taken a \$100 Liberty Bond and \$2
from her room. She did not know
what the safe contained.

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POST-DISPATCH excess over both..... 17 Cois.

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"First in Everything."

300 SIGN PETITIONS FOR KIEL'S RECALL IN G. O. P. PRECINCT

Ninth Precinct, 17th Ward,
Has but 243 Registered
Voters, but Others Say
They Will Enroll Thursday

FIRST RESPONSE IN
REPUBLICAN CENTER

Lists Freely Signed as Re-
buke to Alderman McChes-
ney, Who Sustained White-
wash of Mayor's U. R. Deal

The first response from a Republi-
can stronghold in the movement to
recall Mayor Kiel came to the Cit-
izens' Refundment League today when
a petition with 300 signatures was re-
ceived from the Ninth Precinct of the
Seventeenth Ward. There are 243
registered voters in the precinct,
which always has cast heavy Republi-
can majorities, and the canvassers
report that the unregistered signers
will register next Thursday to qual-
ify as voters at the April election. Many
negroes reside in the precinct. Only
three persons refused to sign when
asked.

The campaign is being carried into
the other precincts of the ward, peti-
tions being freely signed as a rebuke
to Alderman William C. McChesney
for his vote in the Board of Alder-
men sustaining the board white-
wash of the Mayor for his deal with
the United Railways. A petition in
McChesney's own precinct, the
Eighteenth, already has 50 signers.

Frank M. Slater, who always has
been active in the Republican city
committee and has been able to land
appointive plums for his work in the
past, is committee man from the
ward. His brother, Joseph Slater,
holds a Kiel appointment as Street
Commissioner at \$500 a year.

Henry McChesney, brother of the Alder-
man, is a Justice of the Peace.

Precinct G. O. P. Stronghold.
The Ninth Precinct is bounded by
Compton, Ewing and Locust avenues
and Locust street. Its Republican
precinct committee man is Frank
Orff, former president of the Mis-
sourian League of Republican Clubs.

The precinct at the last elec-
tion polled 123 votes for Spencer, Republi-
can, and 36 for Folk, Democrat.

McChesney's precinct, which is
west of Grand avenue along Lin-
coll boulevard, several men who re-
fused to sign the petitions said they
would vote for the Mayor's recall in
the event of an election, but feared
injury to their business if their
names appeared on petitions.

Negro residents of the ward state,
as they sign, that they believe that
the Mayor's deal with the United
Railways will mean higher fares. In-
asmuch as street car fares are a
problem to many of them now, be-
cause they work in East St. Louis,
they say that they do not want to
support an action which postpones
squeezing of water from United Rail-
ways securities.

Approximately 1400 votes had been
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VISCOUNT GREY NOW SAID TO BE TOTALLY BLIND

Former British Secretary of For-
eign Affairs Has Long Had
Eye Trouble.

LONDON, Feb. 10.—The eye
trouble with which Viscount Grey,
former British Secretary of State
for Foreign Affairs, has been af-
flicted for years, now has culminated
in total blindness, says the Daily
Mail today.

Viscount Grey is learning to read
by the Braille system of characters for
the blind.

TWO SALOON MEN RECEIVE
FIRST SHORT TIME LICENSES

Both Are From Feb. 5 to June 30, at
Rate of \$2.46 1/2 a Day.

Collector Koehn today issued the
first two saloon licenses ever given
in St. Louis for less than a six
months' period. This is being done
so that saloon licenses which expire
within that period before July 1,
when prohibition goes into effect,
may be renewed. These short-term
licenses are paid for by the saloon
keeper at the rate of \$2.46 1/2 a day,
of which \$1.37 goes to the city and
\$1.09 1/2 to the State.

J. K. Kovarik, 2401 Keokuk street,
paid \$371.19 for a license from Feb.
5 to June 30 next and Charles Holz-
hauser, 2145 Gratiot street, paid
\$388.73 for a license from Feb. 5 to
June 30.

Koehn said the issuing of short-
term licenses is expected to yield to
the city about \$35,000 a month which
it would not otherwise get.

EPITAPH TO SOLDIER WHO DIED
DRINKING "SMALL COLD BEERS"

Friends Erected Monument in En-
glish Cemetery With Advice
About Cold Beer.

CARLINVILLE, Ill., Feb. 10.—Sol-
diers visiting places of interest in
England came across many unusu-
al sights. A letter received from a
Springfield soldier boy included the
following, with the statement that
it was the inscription on a tombstone
in an English cemetery:

"In memory of Thomas Thatcher,
a grenadier in the North Regiment
of Han's militia, who died of a violent
fever contracted by drinking
cold small beers when hot, the 12th
day of May, 1764, aged 26 years."

"In grateful remembrance of
whose immortal good will towards
his comrades this stone is placed as
a testimonial of their regard and concern."

"Here sleeps in peace a Hampshire
Grenadier."

Who caught a death by drinking
cold small beers?
Soldiers be wise from his untimely
fall.
And when hot, drink strong ones,
or none at all.

An honest soldier never is forgot.
Whether he dies of musket or by
pot."

The letter also says there are many
other quaint epitaphs in the cemetery.

CHARGED WITH TRADING GIRL
ORPHAN FOR \$30 AND A COW

Woman Head of Institution, Arrested
on Complaint of Girl's Relatives.

MADEIRA, Feb. 10.—Investi-
gation of charges that Mrs. Naomi
V. Campbell, head of an orphan's
home here, had traded a girl inmate
for \$30 and a cow, was begun today
by Solicitor-General Dorsey. The
charge developed after the arrest of
the woman in connection with a gen-
eral inquiry relating to the treat-
ment of children in the institution.

Hazel Rankins, a little girl who
had been placed in the home, was
missing when relatives went to take
her away. An investigation, the fam-
ily alleged, showed that the child
had been given to a woman at Taccoa,
who wanted to adopt her, and who
gave Mrs. Campbell the money and
the cow to bind the trade. Mrs.
Campbell denied all charges as to
disposition of the orphan and ill-
treatment of others under her care.

FAIR AND WARMER TODAY,
TONIGHT AND TOMORROW

THE TEMPERATURES.

Highest tem-
perature yester-
day, 30 at 6 p.
m.; lowest, 16, at
7 a. m.

Official fore-
cast for St. Louis
and vicinity:
Fair and warm-
er tonight and
tomorrow; the
lowest tempera-
ture tonight will
be about 30 de-
grees.

Generally fair
tonight and to-
morrow; warmer
portions and in
east and south
portions tomor-
row.

Illinois—Un-
settled in north, generally fair in
south part tonight and tomorrow;
rising temperature.

WATER IN THE
STOCK RUNS
NO DYNAMOS.

By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Union
bricklayers and hoisting engineers in
112 cities of the United States em-
ployed by the Building Trades Em-
ployers' Association will be ordered to
strike today in sympathy with the
striking members of the Carpenters'
Union here, according to William L.
Hutchinson, president of the United
Brotherhood of Carpenters and
Joiners. He said that the number of
men affected would be between 300,
000 and 400,000.

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ADMIRAL WILSON SERIOUSLY ILL

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return home on the flagship New Mex-
ico, assigned as one of the vessels to
escort the transport on which Presi-
dent Wilson will return. Admiral
Wilson has been detailed to com-
mand battleship force No. 2, the modern
armored division of the Atlan-
tic fleet, now in Cuban waters.

SEMI-LUXURY TAX WILL BE REPEALED, LEADERS DECLARE

Kitchin Says Resolution on
Section Relating to Cloth-
ing Will Be Introduced
After Bill Is Signed.

COUNTRY'S MERCHANTS
SEND IN PETITIONS

Lodge Favors Action to Elim-
inate Objectionable Feat-
ure; Income Tax Exten-
sion Resolution Introduced

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-
Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Majority
Leader Kitchin of the House of
Representatives today told the Post-
Dispatch that it is the present plan
of those who had charge of the \$6-
000,000,000 revenue bill which passed
the House Saturday to strike out that
part of the bill which imposes a so-
called "semi-luxury tax" on articles
of wear costing over a certain
amount.

After the President has signed the
bill a joint resolution will be in-
troduced repealing the provisions in
question.

When the bill went to conference
there was no disagreement as to the
principle of the luxury tax but only
on the amount. The tax was there-
fore allowed to stand in the confer-
ence report, which was voted upon as
a whole. Rather than delay the final
passage of the bill, leaders in the
House pressed for the adoption of
the conference report, with the un-
derstanding that the luxury tax could
be later stricken out.

Petitions From Merchants.

Petitions from merchants all over
the country, protesting against the
tax have been pouring into the of-
fices of congressmen for several days.
Senator Lodge today voiced a pre-
liminary protest against the "semi-
luxury" tax. In presenting protest-
ing petitions, Senator Lodge said it
was an excessive and unnecessary
tax, adopted originally as a war
measure and that, because of confer-
ence rules, the conferees were with-
out power to eliminate the provi-
sion. He suggested that a separate
resolution might be brought to abo-
lish the provision.

A resolution which would extend
the time under the act for filing in-
come tax returns from March 15 un-
til April 15 was introduced today by
Senator New of Indiana, who an-
nounced he would call the measure
up tomorrow.

Dyer Position on Measure.

Representative Dyer of St. Louis
was one of 11 members of the House
of Representatives who, on Saturday,
voted against the adoption of the
conference report on the revenue
bill.

Dyer said that he voted in the neg-
ative because he was opposed to
much of the general legislation in
the bill, some of which was inserted
after the measure left the House.
The vote was on the conference re-
port as a whole, he pointed out, so
the House did not have a chance to
express itself on specific provi-
sions.

Dyer said he especially objected to
giving discharged soldiers only \$30.
He thought they should receive six
months' pay.

BRICKLAYERS IN 112 CITIES
ORDERED TO STRIKE TODAY

Head of Brotherhood Calls for Walk-
out in Sympathy With New
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Indian Tribe Nearly Wiped Out.

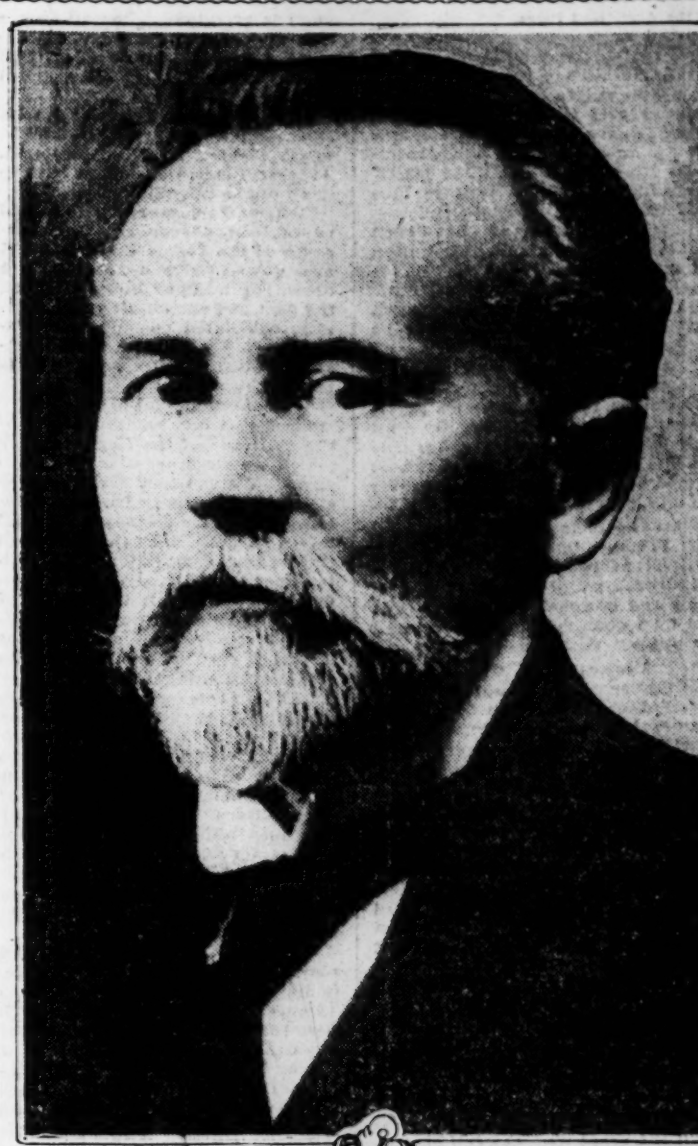
By the Associated Press.
WINNIPEG, Feb. 10.—Reports
from Cross Lake, 80 miles north of
this city, indicate that the Indians
of that district. There are no
physicians near by.

Safe Blowers Get \$3.

LITCHFIELD, Ill., Feb. 10.—The
sale in the Illinois Tractor System's
office at Hillsboro was dynamited
early today and torn to pieces. There
was but \$3 in it.

Are you going to the Theater or
Movies tonight? If so, see Page 2.

Socialist Who Is Chosen President of the German National Assembly



Dr. David was the Socialist leader of the old Reichstag and served as Under Secretary of Foreign Affairs with Dr. Solf as Secretary.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Feb. 10.—The week begins
with the business of the peace con-
ference well advanced. Dozens of
commissions are at work with an
energy never seen in former inter-
national conferences.

First in interest and importance
because of the fundamental nature
of its task, the commission on the
subject of nations is now awaiting
what is termed "clarification" of
two sections of the project which ap-
pear to have been adopted without a
very clear and unanimous under-
standing of their scope. A subcom-
mittee is unravelling the tangled
skein of diplomatic verbiage and it
is hoped will clear it up at a meet-
ing today.

In view of frequent official assur-
ances that the work was being done
with complete unanimity, no doubt
can be entertained that the plan will
be ready for action by a plenary
meeting of the conference before the
end of the week. Nearly all the na-
tions are now represented on the
special commission framing it and
from this it is assumed they have
already practically committed their
governments to support of the
measure when it comes up for final
approval by the conference.

No Majority Vote Necessary.
As the American delegates have
explained, the fate of the measure
does not depend upon a majority
vote. The Powers accepting the plan,
whatever may be their number, will
go ahead with the organization of the
society. If there should be dis-
senters they will be left out until
they find it expedient to come in.

Such headway has been made by
some of the lesser commissions of
the peace conference that it is expected
they will be ready to report a num-
ber of important projects to the con-
ference for its action almost immedi-
ately after the report of the commis-
sion on the subject of nations is
disposed of.

The conference itself, while it ap-
pears likely to drop into a more lea-
surely pace after the departure of
President Wilson and Premier Grian-
do of Italy, and in the absence of
Premier Lloyd George of Great Brit-
ain, who already has left Paris, plans
to undertake the discussion of some
of these topics. Interesting debates
are expected to follow, occupying the
time of the conference profitably
during what it seems to be thought
will be rather brief absence of
those leaders.

The newly created "Supreme Econ-
omic Council" has taken rank next
in importance to the Society of Na-
tions Commission. Its membership

ALLEIES HAVE NO PLAN TO TREAT WITH BOLSHEVIKI

Foreign Minister Pichon Discourages Idea That Conference Really Will Be Held at Princes Islands.

ANTI-BOLSHEVIST GROUPS WON'T ATTEND

Sazonoff Hopes Entente Will Furnish Aid for a Russian Army That Would Fight Lenine Forces.

By the Associated Press. PARIS, Feb. 10.—Stephen Pichon, the Foreign Minister, in his weekly talk to the French newspaper correspondents, spoke mainly of Russia, particularly on the situation resulting from the Moscow Soviet Government's acceptance of the invitation to the Princes Islands conference. M. Pichon discouraged the idea that such a conference will really be held. He pointed out that the message from the Soviet Government had not replied to the invitation, which only contemplated a meeting of the Russian factions themselves for the purpose of trying to agree on some plan for the benefit of their country. It was not the understanding, he said, that the representatives of the Entente should do more than try to bring the Russians together and he declared that there was no purpose of entering into negotiations with the Bolshevik Governments.

To do so, M. Pichon said, would be to encourage the Bolsheviks to declare triumphantly to their people that the allies were completely beaten and at their mercy.

Discusses Russian Debt. Any attempt to obtain an agreement to recognize the outstanding Russian foreign debt, M. Pichon contended, would be heralded as establishing the truth of the Soviet claim that the allies were moved only by capitalistic influences. Concerning the possibility that the Soviet Government might agree to pay its foreign debt, M. Pichon said that all the Governments of the world least able to undertake this task which would require the entire energy and strength of an organized Russian Government operating in peace time.

In conclusion the Minister said that he did not regard the newly created supreme economic council as limiting M. Pichon's authority. He thought it would constitute an invaluable aid to the War Council in relieving it of a great deal of non-military work.

The anti-Bolshevik governments of Russia are apparently firm in declining to participate in the Princes Islands conference. Nicholas Tchakovsky, president of the provisional government of Northern Russia, told the Associated Press Saturday that he and his Government had decided not to go and are in full accord with the position taken by the Russian committee in Paris.

Sazonoff's Plan for Assistance. Sergius Sazonoff, representing the Denikin, Kolchak and Don Governments, reiterated his desire to participate in the conference, saying:

"President Wilson refused to negotiate with Germany until the Emperor was deposed, as he did not wish to see the Russian Empire divided. We feel as he did."

M. Sazonoff declared that Gen. Denikin, Kolchak and Don Governments were eager that the allies should permit the organization of a volunteer army of 100,000 to 150,000 men from the allies as the nucleus of a force for the protection of the Black Sea ports and the formation of an anti-Bolshevik army, which could only be made possible at an early date through foreign aid. The former Foreign Minister said that the Russian part of the force would do the fighting against the Bolsheviks, but desired foreign support at the bases, as well as ammunition and funds, for which ample security was available.

M. Sazonoff's plan for an anti-Bolshevik campaign does not include the occupation of the Baltic ports, but taken in Archangel. President Tchakovsky is in agreement with M. Sazonoff as to the plan, but insists that the effort must be coordinated by the allies and the operation placed under a single command to avoid the misunderstandings which would result from assigning some of influence to various powers.

The Ukrainian Soviet Government has announced that it is willing to accept the invitation of the allies to the proposed Marmora conference of Russian factions, according to the terms, but it considers the date fixed, Feb. 15, too near to hand. The Government also expressed preference for holding the conference at Paris, instead of on the Princes Islands.

Official Government Reported Accepting Offer of Aid From Japan. By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Reports from Omak state that the Russian Government there has accepted an offer from Japan of men, money and arms to settle the Bolshevik difficulty.

While this, it is stated, is due to reports that the allies are to withdraw their forces from Siberia and also to a fear that the conference at the Princes Islands will result in recognition of the Bolsheviks.

In return for the aid she is to give, the Japanese state, Japan will secure an iron and coal concession in the Transmanchurian district.

All Nations in League Must Be Ready to Use Strength Abroad, Clemenceau Says

Heavily-Burdened France Finds Solace in Wilson's Assurance Whole World Would Vindicate Her Liberty, Premier States.

By the Associated Press. PARIS, Feb. 10.—"While I have said that the war has been won, it would perhaps be more accurate to say that there is a lull in the storm," said Georges Clemenceau, the French Premier, in the course of an interview with the Associated Press yesterday. "At least," he added, "it is as well to face squarely all the possibilities."

Although Clemenceau has been beaten militarily and has been largely disarmed, the Premier pointed out, "a chaotic but fruitful Russia from which great help may be drawn by the Teutons."

There is danger, he thinks, of a "reopening of a military debate if we were not for the assurance President Wilson voiced recently that whenever France or any other free people is menaced, the whole world will be ready to vindicate its liberty."

"In the society of nations," said the Premier, "each nation must be willing to renounce its traditional aloofness and be willing to employ the national strength outside its own country, both in war and in peace."

Praises U. S. Troops. Premier Clemenceau warmly praised the help the American troops had given in winning the war for democracy, and expressed disbelief that there was a man in the American army of occupation who regretted that he had "fought on the side of freedom."

"I live in the United States in my young and formative days," said Premier Clemenceau. "Perhaps, therefore, I may be indulged to say a few words to our allies on the other side of the Atlantic. Not by way of advice or propaganda, but frankly as friend to friend."

"The friendship between our peoples which has subsisted for a century and a half is very beautiful thing. The like of it has never existed for the same length of time between any other two peoples. The entrance of America into the great war was full of dramatic interest. The application of nation-wide conscription without the slightest disturbance, the universal eagerness to supply us with food and all our requirements, the unity of purpose and the amazing energy of 110 millions of people of so varying and complex a character, our admiration and gratitude in such a nation as no one but ourselves can know."

"Fought Like Crusaders." "And the way the American soldiers fought! Nothing could have been finer. Inspired by the hope of a better world, they entered upon their task with all the determination, all the fervor, all the spiritual purpose of the old-time crusaders. They died for the cause of freedom, and they would not have surrendered. But do not mistake me. I do not mean to minimize the importance of the American military aid, nor of the aid of the American Cross, nor of the help of the American people. There never has been in all the history of the world so perfect a coordination of the holy purpose of the righteous-minded inhabitants of the earth."

And now the war is won. The world is made safe for democracy, for life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness, as Jefferson said in the American Declaration of Independence. And the future before us? What has it in store?

"I am told that some of these gallant American soldiers, who lived in trenches, slept in dugouts and fought in the mud in devastating and war-torn France when they crossed the Rhine and in an undevastated land found clean beds and baths, rather regret that they fought on the side of freedom and would rather have fought on the side of the murdering Germans."

Refers to Overcharges. "I do not believe it. I am sure there is no American soldier who does not recognize that France, the battlefield of the war, could not give him the comforts that Germany, undevastated, was able to. I do not and will not believe so meanly of a single one of the brilliant warriors who came from the States to our aid. It is incredible. It is tragedy of the war that devastated France could not give them the comforts that unbroken Germany could."

"I believe there is some criticism that there have been overcharges by the French for food and other things. For many years the Americans have been coming to Europe and with abundant means and great generosity have been helping our people. As a result they have taught our people that they were very rich and very generous. It was but human that our people should expect more from the Americans. It is only fair to say that in every where the attention of the French Government has been brought to a case of extortion, an earnest and effective effort has been made to stop it."

"A Lull in the Storm." "Throughout the war our relations with the American army have been most cordial, and your treasury officials will assure you, I am sure, that there has always been a spirit of generosity on both sides. Any suggestion that we have asked for payment for trenches or the burial places of your brave soldiers is atrocious. For all future ages the graves of American soldiers will be in the tender and sacred keeping of our grateful people."

"I have said that the war is won. It could perhaps be more accurate to say that there is a lull in the storm. At least it is as well to face squarely all the possibilities."

"Recent successes have enabled us to look deeper into the purposes of the enemy than we could heretofore. It was not purely a dream of military conquest on the part of Prussia. It was a definite, calculated conspiracy to exterminate France as well industrially and commercially as in a military sense."

"And this fact explains many of the activities of the German army which we were not able to understand. We can now see why they stole the machinery from our factories, why they destroyed the coal mines of Lens, why there was all the wanton devastation of the territory while they were retreating. We thought it was a part of their tactics of military frightfulness. Instead we can see now that it was a part of their deliberate commercial designs."

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"And in this phase of their war-making effort they have not been altogether unsuccessful. The industrial life of France has been so wrecked that its reconstruction is most difficult, while by reason of her military surrender Germany has been able to supply her factories, intact and ready for immediate efficient operation. Industrially and commercially, as between France and Prussia, for the present the victory is with the Hun."

The French fortune invested abroad before the war was large. Some fifty or sixty billions (francs) of French stock. The best that we can hope for is that payments on about two-thirds of the debt may be as simply deferred; that the immense sum accumulated by French thrift and loaned abroad will be collectible eventually."

France has something like 20,000,000 francs invested in Russia and another billion in Balkan and Turkish obligations. Then, just before the war, the disorderly and chaotic state of the Russian revenues from there, and we are having the same experience in South America."

"We look forward, therefore, to an immediate future in which we shall meet regular and direct interest charges in America and elsewhere abroad, to provide which we will have only the resources at home."

"If our national debts were due only to our own people, the problem would not be so difficult, because we would not then have to consider the sending out of the country of great sums of money in exchange of goods. The interest payments would remain in the country to be used partly for reconstruction and partly for the development of our industrial life."

"Even as to the military triumphs over Germany there is a situation not altogether without reason. It is quite true that the allies have taken the German navy and in large measure have disarmed the enemy. But there remains a chaotic state of affairs in Germany, and great help may be drawn by the Teutons."

Refers to Wilson's Speech. "With the British army demobilized, the American army back home and France isolated, there might be danger of a reopening of the military debate by Germany which might embarrass us were it not for the assurance which President Wilson gave us in the Chamber of Deputies the other day that under the operation of the league of nations, whenever France or any other free people is menaced, the whole world will be ready to vindicate its liberty. So that there never shall be any doubt or waiting or surmise. This has given us great solace."

"Of course a society of nations in which America and France enter must be supported profoundly by the conviction of their peoples and by the determination of each nation entering into the agreement to be willing to renounce their traditional aloofness from other peoples and willingness to employ the national strength outside their own country both in time of peace as well as under the pressure of war."

All of our plans are based on the splendid platform laid down by President Wilson. In perfect harmony with the principles which he has enunciated, we are striving for higher and nobler ends in the conduct of the affairs of the world."

NEW SPARTACAN DISORDERS IN BERLIN REPORTED

Eichhorn, Leading Soldiers and Sailors, Said to Have Occupied Alexander Platz, When Troops Fired on Them.

CONGRESS OF SOVIETS ORDERED BY FEB. 20

Soldiers and Workmen in Movement to Retain Power While Assembly Is in Session at Weimar.

By the Associated Press. ZURICH, Switzerland, Feb. 10.—Spartacan disorders of a grave nature broke out in Berlin Saturday evening, according to advices received here. Soldiers and sailors, commanded by former Chief of Police Eichhorn, are reported to have occupied Alexander Platz, and Government troops opened fire upon them, several persons being killed and 40 wounded. German censorship is withholding details of the trouble.

Berlin Wireless Says Order Was Restored

By the Associated Press. OXFORD, Feb. 10.—Repeated encounters occurred Saturday in Berlin between Government troops and a mob which was only partly of Spartacan character. A Berlin wireless message received here stated that six persons were killed and 14 others wounded, the message states. Toward evening, it is added, order was restored and the troops withdrew to their quarters.

Movement to Retain Power of the Soviets

By the Associated Press. BERLIN, Friday, Feb. 7.—The Congress of Soldiers' Councils attached to various German army corps concluded its session here today with the adoption of a resolution calling on the Central Council of the German Workers' and Soldiers' Boards to summon a general congress of German Soviets by Feb. 20.

If the Central Council of 27 members and the Executive Committee of the Berlin Lokai Council is given authority to summon such a congress.

As the Berlin body is wholly dominated by radical elements, it is expected that it will lose no time in making use of the prerogative given it, especially as the Central Council of the German Workers' and Soldiers' Boards to the National Assembly at Weimar, on the principle that its functions would cease with the installation of the new coalition Democratic Government.

There seems no doubt that the workingmen's boards all over Germany are in full accord with the action of the Berlin body. The prospective fight of the soldiers for the retention of their authority promises to supply a lively counteraction to that of the constituent assembly.

One Hamburg soldier delegate declared that 40,000 workmen in Hamburg were under arms, and that if the Gerstenberger division attacked Hamburg, the first shot fired would be a signal for the blowing up of bridges and of food cargo vessels. The workingmen, he declared, were organizing a Red Guard, and would use its disposal in addition 100,000 troops.

D. A. R. PLANS FUND TO MAKE LOANS TO DISABLED SOLDIERS

Money Will Be Used to Tide Men Over Until Permanent Allocations Arrive.

A loan fund of at least \$500,000 will be established by the Missouri Daughters of the American Revolution and the Missouri Soldiers' Aid Society to tide over the period between their discharge from reconstruction hospitals and the time they begin to receive monthly allotments from the Bureau of War Risk Insurance.

The fund is usually from four to eight weeks. Incapacitated soldiers of the entire Ninth (St. Louis) District, comprising the states of Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska and Kansas, will be beneficiaries of the fund. The money will be loaned without interest, and may be repaid in small monthly installments.

A plan of procedure was adopted Saturday at a conference between Mrs. John Trigg Moss, State regent of the D. A. R. in Missouri, and Uel W. Lamkin, district vocational officer. The fund is a part of the reconstruction program adopted at the State D. A. R. conference at Jefferson City last October. It will be administered by a special committee of the D. A. R.

300 SIGN PETITIONS FOR KIEL'S RECALL IN G. O. P. PRECINCT

Continued From Page One. A man about 50 years old, neatly dressed, fell dead in front of 1122 Washington avenue at 9 a. m. today.

The only paper found in his pocket was a receipt for a "Mr. Hill" had paid rent at the St. George Apartments, 3711 Olive street. Inquiry at the apartments disclosed that a man known as Hill had lived there up to a month ago when he moved away. No one was found who could tell any more about him. The body was taken to the morgue.

Woman Leader's Views on German Assembly Problems

One of 40 Delegates of Her Sex to Constitutional Body Now Engaged in Laying Foundations of New Republic.

By the Associated Press. WEIMAR, Saturday, Feb. 8.—Forty women delegates to the German National Assembly here are playing an important part in the molding of the future Government of the nation. They are acting with the men in all the important committees. One of them is Frau Ernestine Lutze of Dresden, head of a factory working force and a Social Democrat. She has written for the Post-Dispatch the following on her political views and the programs before the assembly:

By FRAU ERNESTINE LUTZE. I have been a Social Democrat 20 years in theory. Although the socialists have been leading them the suffrage, the women of Saxony were admitted to be members of the party in 1898. At that time I was a worker in a flower factory. I later became a foreman of the women employees were nearly all interested in political problems and had part in political affiliations.

From the first we have always worked along purely party lines and have not been able to get beyond the political movement. This is the source of our political strength. The women of the middle classes, who have not had such experience, are not so well equipped as the working women for exercising franchise. They are largely reactionaries and aligned with the capitalists. At the beginning of the war many were militarists and supported Junker rule.

The women of the proletariat saw the true aims of the Government and fought against them. I was arrested in Dresden for speaking in favor of peace in July, 1914. During the war I was in the women's movement, had to make munitions, against our will.

We believe Volkshaus is the only way for permanent peace, but if it cannot be carried out, we advocate adequate national defense through the Swiss-army plan or a similar system.

Equal Footing With Men. Much of the work of regulation of women in industry is being done by the Workmen's and Soldiers' Councils. I am a member of the Dresden Council, of which there are seven women. We work in harmony with the men and on an equal footing, as we also did in the election campaign just past. At all the meetings men and women speak.

Politics have become so much a part of the life of the German woman today that I do not think there is any question about their playing an important part in national affairs. Also, the shortage of manpower during the last four years has thrown many women into important executive positions. I, for instance, am the manager of a factory, where formerly were made violent and forgotten men by the gross. Women who are accustomed to dealing with large bodies of workers and handling big industrial problems are better fitted than a large class of men who have just come back from the fighting front to deal with many of the difficulties which are before the new republic.

PEACE CONGRESS COMMITTEES MAKE UNEXPECTED PROGRESS

Continued From Page One. preliminary work of establishing a society of nations has been completed. The fact was brought out in a pause, dean of the law faculty of the University of Paris, and with Leon Bourgeois, a French delegate on the commission for society of nations, in discussing the work of the commission. "We have reached the fourteenth article, and we expect to conclude preliminary discussions early next week. The articles which have been adopted deal with the desire of the society to prevent future wars. What remains to be investigated concerns international transportation, commerce and financial affairs, and we expect the delegates to agree promptly."

Asked if the departure of President Wilson, Premier Lloyd George and the other great leaders would be a setback to the commission's work, Prof. Larnaude replied: "No, the work will go on. Col. House will represent America on the commission, and the British will appear for Great Britain and Prof. Ullrich will take the place of Prof. Orlando of Italy."

"Progress Must Be Gradual." "Newspapers need not impress on the masses that we will succeed in immediately eradicating the germ of war. This will have to be done gradually."

"My idea is that when disputes arise between two nations, they would be referred to an executive assembly to be formed by the delegates of all nations. The members of the Society of Nations. This assembly would, after investigation, decide which of the nations was right and international forces would be placed at the disposal of the country in the right. Some cases the executive assembly might not be able to give a decision and would allow the disputants to settle matters between themselves by force, as is inclined."

Prof. Larnaude alluded to the "calm, perfectly natural and agreeable manner, in which President Wilson has presided over the discussion of the commissions."

"Had we at times been impatient," he said, "I'm sure the sufficient attitude of the American President would have been sufficient to quiet us."

Referring to the probable capital of the Society of Nations, he said that he preferred Versailles, but added that this was merely his personal choice for the reason that Versailles is so close to the great telegraphic, postal and railroad and diplomatic center of Paris.

Alien Commission Leaves Paris for Poland.

By the Associated Press. PARIS, Feb. 10.—The Polish Commission after a week's study of the problem it has undertaken to solve, left Paris Saturday night for Warsaw. It is learned that in addition to ascertaining the economic needs of Poland and Czechoslovakia, the commission will give attention to the military situation on the border between Poland and Germany.

MAN FOUND DEAD IDENTIFIED

He Had Been Missing From Home of Brother-in-Law.

A man found dead with a bullet wound in his head and a revolver in his hand on Inoska street near the Missouri Pacific tracks yesterday was identified today as David Cabala, a laborer, 45 years old, who disappeared from the home of a brother-in-law at 4038 Welsh street Jan. 31.

Relatives said he was released from St. Mary's Infirmary Nov. 29, after an operation had been performed, but they supposed he had recovered his health and they knew of no reason why he should have killed himself.

BOLSHEVISM FACING ITS CRITICAL STAGES

Russia Is Tottering Between Imperialism, With Trotsky as New Czar, and Nihilism.

By the Associated Press. WARSAW, Friday, Feb. 7.—That Bolshevism is in its critical stage, either turning to imperialism, or perhaps Leon Trotsky, Minister of War and Marine, as the new Emperor, or slipping back to the idea of nihilism, with a sort of orderly disorder, is the impression given by many refugees of all nationalities who have arrived here from Russia. The correspondent has talked to a number of these people as to what might happen in Russia if there is no outside interference. One of them was a Bolshevik soldier who deserted while his contingent was raiding the cod from his fishy stock, he said. "Our chief characteristic," he said, "is that we are tired—tired of fighting, tired of killing, tired of fighting and tired of wandering from pillar to post. There is no doubt that Leon Trotsky is attempting to obtain order and to whip the troops into shape. He is known to be terribly ambitious and possibly he is dreaming of becoming Czar, knowing that Bolshevism has failed."

Recent rumors that the Soviet Government troops have evacuated Petrograd are unconfirmed. There was a general belief in Petrograd during January that the allies were about to occupy the city. Bolshevik chiefs have been so alarmed that a trainload of supplies was recently turned back while on the road from Moscow to Petrograd, in the belief that the allies were in the latter city.

Trotsky in Uniform. Trotsky is reported to have changed from his flashy clothes and red neckties to a uniform. He is said to be riding here and there on a train formerly at the disposal of the Emperor, and to be using the former imperial automobile.

The death at Berlin of Dr. Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg, the German Spartacan leaders, apparently made a deep impression on the Bolshevik chiefs. Trotsky ordered public mourning at Petrograd and street car traffic was stopped.

Great demonstrations were held by the police and the red flag was everywhere at half mast. There were violent speeches in which Philipp Scheidemann, a member of the Ebert cabinet in Berlin was bitterly attacked. His speech made of cotton wool, was solemnly burned and burned. There was also organized a mourning demonstration at Moscow, it being said that it was for the "deceased" Trotsky.

Holiday for Hungarians. It is said that Feodor Chalapine, a favorite opera singer during the later days of the imperial regime, is engaged to sing at Moscow at an enormous salary. Reports have been received that executions are being hurried so that fallers may have a holiday during celebrations, there will be a holiday for the next eight persons put to death each day at Petrograd and Moscow.

Arrivals from Petrograd are now very rare. One had come to the Polish frontier, recently said that he had traveled in a sleeping car, the curtains of which had been cut, the windows broken and the walls plastered with Bolshevik placards. In his compartment was a woman who journeyed nearly 300 miles to buy some sugar near the frontier. The car was so crowded, he said, that men slept in baggage racks, which were roomy and strong.

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RAILROAD UNIONS PLEAD FOR DIRECT GOVERNMENTAL AGENCY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Some direct governmental agency, working not for profit but to furnish transportation at cost, was advocated today by the four railroad brotherhoods in their solution of the railroad problem before Congress. A. B. Garretson, president of the Order of Railway Conductors, speaking for the four big employees' organizations before the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee, said the heads of the other three brotherhoods had been over to Government ownership of railroads by experience under Government operation and that all endorsed in principle the plan presented by Glenn E. Plumb last week, though they had not considered its details.

Garretson declared that the financial and operating sides of the railroad question were practically one and that the task of Congress was to decide whether the two functions could be better performed by private or Government ownership.

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AUSTRIAN PLAN TO JOIN GERMAN UNION

Negotiations Under Way for Entry Into the New Republic; Some Objection at Weimar.

By ARNO BOSCH FLEUREL. A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and New York World. Copyright, 1919, by Post-Dispatch. WEIMAR, Saturday, Feb. 8.—The question of the union of Austria with Germany will be the first big political situation likely to confront the National Assembly. Whatever differences of state interests have existed between the various German states, are for the moment ironed out, and the Ebert-Scheidemann state roller is working smoothly ahead.

The preliminary constitution will probably go through without a hitch, particularly as it is cleverly habited with the idea of pacifying, even of flattery, the small states. An Ausschuss—an enlarged governmental directorate, including all the states—has adopted the Government's program, and there will be no question of states bringing state interests into a permanent convention. Then the question whether Germany is to be a centralized power or a federation of states will bring some stir into what has been, so far, a calm convention.

Austria's Position. The question whether Austria will enter the federation of states will start a discussion in a few days, as all the German states are not of the same opinion about the desirability of including Austria. German-Austria, it is reported here, is completely in favor of such a union.

The end of next week will decide this for Austria. As it is stated now, negotiations between the German National Assembly and the Vienna Government will be sufficiently advanced by Feb. 20 for Foreign Minister Bauer to come from Vienna to Weimar to close the affair.

Austria will be united to Germany by the National Assembly. Dr. Hartmann, the Austrian Ambassador at Berlin, said to me yesterday, "Negotiations to that end will begin here in a few days, but, as the Austrian Government has already shown its readiness to join German federation, I believe the union will be made. Since I have pursued this policy as I see the only hope for German Austria in joining the new federation."

Son of Post of 1848. Dr. Hartmann is the son of the post of the 1848 revolution, and is an advocate of German unity.

What about the Czech claims that Vienna is not fundamentally German? I asked Dr. Hartmann. "That idea has been dispensed, and Vienna regards herself as German."

"What about the attitude of the entente toward the proposed union?" I inquired.

"I do not expect to see any active opposition to the union of Germany and Austria," Dr. Hartmann answered. "France does not like the idea, but I do not expect an effort on the part of France to prevent it. I believe it is rather pleased with having a frontier connected direct with Germany. England seems comparatively indifferent, and if the majority of Austrian-Germans vote for a union with Germany, it will be in accord with the self-determination of peoples, which is part of President Wilson's program."

Dr. Hartmann is about to go to Vienna to take part in the negotiations at that end.

Labor Opposes Partial Sunday Closing

LEXINGTON, Ok., Feb. 10.—The Bluegrass Federation of Labor has declared against the Sunday closing of picture shows here. They demand that if the picture shows are closed that cigar stores, taxi cabs and all other Sunday activities cease.

The Dublin Proclamation. There was little display against England in the "Wahls," the last speaker of the week, but he got his rights and forgot his. Archbishop Glennon said he was neither pro-German nor pro-Bolshevik, but he was pro-peace. He said the argument was not whether the war was the war to establish the small nations, must recognize the right of self-determination. He said the declaration was the desire of an overworked people, and that the Irish people were tired of the war.

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COXEY IN PRESIDENTIAL RACE FROM CHAIR IN WALDORF BAR

"General" Announces That He Will Run on an Anti-Prohibition Platform.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—"Gen." Jacob S. Coxe, commander of "Coxey's Army," who, 25 years ago, led his beshiskered and unemployed hosts of tattered ones from Ohio to Washington and there was sentenced to spend 20 days in jail for "reading on the turf, or grass, and injuring the shrubbery of the White House lawn," sat in the cafe of the Waldorf yesterday and to a group of newspaper men announced that he intended to run for President.

"I want to wave the American flag and have it stand for something," said Coxe. "I stand for law and order. That's going to be one of the planks in my platform—law and order. Another plank is going to be anti-prohibition. I've had my ear to the ground for the last 25 years. I hear the call for Dr. Coxe."

"You're sure it's not some other row."

noise you've heard?" he was asked. "Young man, I'm positive of it," replied the General. "They're calling for Coxe. Here he sits in the Waldorf bar, against prohibition and not afraid to say so."

MISS ANNA A. GORDON IS HERE

Head of National W. C. T. U. Accompanied by Missouri President.

Miss Anna A. Gordon, president of the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union, and Mrs. Nelle G. Burger, president of the State organization, will spend tomorrow in St. Louis in conference with the local officers and officers of the Conventions Bureau relative to the convention to be held in St. Louis next November.

At 4:30 p. m. there will be a special conference with the officers of the St. Louis Federated W. C. T. U. to officers, to conclude with a dinner at which Mrs. Burger will be hostess. Mrs. Burger is the guest of Miss Fannie D. Robb, president of the city federation. She will join Miss Gordon at the Warwick Hotel tomorrow.

FIRST MACAULEY SUIT STARTS AGAINST STORE FOR \$500,000

Toronto Who Was Arrested as "Christmas Keough." Forger Has Other Damage Cases Pending

The impaneling of a jury was begun today for the trial of the first of several damage suits brought by Alexander P. Macauley, of Toronto, Canada, as a result of his arrest here Jan. 3, 1917, on suspicion that he was "Christmas Keough," a widely sought passer of bogus traveler's checks.

This is a suit for \$500,000 damages against the May Department Stores Co., which controls the Famous & Barr store, some of whose employees said Macauley was the man who passed the checks. A similar suit for \$250,000 against the St. Baer & Fuller Dry Goods Co. and damage suits against several newspapers are pending.

The case will be tried by Judge Pollard, sitting for Judge Dyer in the United States District Court. Macauley's attorneys are Bert Fenn and Thomas B. Harvey. The May company's counsel are Lon O. Hocker and Edward J. McCullen.

NEAR EAST RELIEF FUND CAMPAIGN OPENS HERE

Committee in Charge Expects to Raise \$450,000 in One Week.

A campaign committee today began asking St. Louisans to contribute to the relief of Syria and Armenia, which suffered at the hands of the Turks as Belgium suffered at the hands of the Germans, and whose present plight is the worst of that of any of the war-stricken countries. This city is expected to contribute \$450,000 in one week. A national campaign is being conducted by the American Committee for Relief in the Near East.

The St. Louis organization for collection is being directed by James R. Dunn, chairman of the Americanization Committee of the Chamber of Commerce. Booths are being established in various parts of the city, from which workers will go to neighborhoods in a house-to-house canvass.

It is stated that 4,000,000 persons, mostly women and children are without homes in Armenia and are approaching starvation. Two ships, loaded with foodstuffs, already have departed from New York for their relief. Armenia long has been oppressed by the Turks, who seized the world war as opportunity to do on a wholesale scale what previously they had dared only to do by sporadic attacks. It is stated that 4,000,000 Armenians perished and that there are 400,000 orphans in the little country.

Checks should be made out to W. W. Smith, treasurer of the collection, and mailed to Broadway and Locust street, general headquarters.

SUFFRAGISTS BURN PRESIDENT IN EFFIGY; 65 ARE ARRESTED

They Make Demonstration in Front of White House—Refuse to Give Bond.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Sixty-five members of the National Woman's party were arrested last night by civil and military police after they had burned President Wilson in effigy in front of the White House as a protest against the threatened curbing of the equal suffrage resolution in the Senate today. Several thousand persons watched the demonstration, but there was little disorder.

When taken to police station the women, who represented 16 states, refused to furnish bonds for their release and were placed in the house of detention to await trial today. The effigy of the President was about three feet in height and was made of paper. It was carried from the party headquarters to the place of burning by Misses Sue White of Nashville, Tenn., and Garret Harris of Columbia, S. C., who marched in the procession of nearly 100 women, most of whom carried suffrage banners.

A fire was lighted in a cauldron on the sidewalk and as the two women held the effigy over the blaze others made speeches to the crowd. The police then intervened and the arrests followed. Most of the women protested and continued to harangue the spectators until they were forced into patrol wagons.

In the procession which left suffrage headquarters were only two state delegations. Mrs. H. C. Havemeyer of New York City, headed the New York delegation and Miss Elizabeth McShane of Uniontown, Pa., led the Pennsylvania representatives.

NO CLEW TO EXPLOSION THAT WRECKED GREEK'S RESTAURANT

\$3500 Damage—Owner Says His Business Success Has Been Source of Envy to Rivals.

The police have practically no clew as to the cause of an explosion at 2:30 a. m. yesterday which blew up the restaurant of Peter Pullman, a Greek, at 205 North Fourteenth street. A high explosive, the nature of which has not been ascertained, evidently was placed against the rear wall of the building and set off. The rear and front walls were shattered. Pullman had living rooms upstairs but because there was no heat then he has been staying at the Regent Hotel, Fourteenth and Chestnut streets. He told a Post-Dispatch reporter that he ascribed the explosion to business jealousy on the part of competitors. He said that he and his brother, who also has a restaurant, have been getting the business of rivals, and that customers have told him they heard threats his place would be destroyed. The damage to the furnishings is placed at \$1500 and to the building at \$2000.

The explosion was heard for several blocks. Louis Herman, 20 years old, a chauffeur, was passing the building at the time and was cut by flying glass. Miss Fern Clark, night telephone operator at the Regent Hotel, stated that shortly before the explosion she saw a large black touring car stop in front of the restaurant and then speed away.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take Laxative Bromo Quinine (Tablets). It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. E. W. Grove's signature on each box. Etc.

At the Poison Exhibit. OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 10.—A suspicious person sent a box of apples to City Chemist Crowley, charging that the dealer had sprayed them with a preservative that made them unfit to eat. Crowley ate four of the apples and ordered: "If I am dead tomorrow, condemn the box." He said the apples were of excellent flavor. He did not die.

EVERY DAY PEOPLE ARE FINDING BETTER PLACES TO LIVE by using the "WANT" columns.

GREEK LLD. FOR PRESIDENT

Diploma in Box Made From Olive Tree of Which Sophocles Sang.

By the Associated Press. PARIS, Feb. 10.—The delegation from the University of Athens which called upon President Wilson Saturday night and delivered a diploma bestowing upon him the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws was headed by Prof. Andreadis of the faculty of the university and a member of the Academy of Political Science.

"May it be allowed us members of the profession from whose ranks you were called to your high office," said Prof. Andreadis in presenting the diploma, "to add this wish: The box which contains this diploma came from one of those antique olive trees of which Sophocles sang. The olive tree has always been a symbol of peace. In the olden days its branches were prizes for the peaceful victors of the Olympic games. May a similar wreath of olives, Mr. President, crown the work you have undertaken in the interest of humanity."

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Irwin's New Spring Suits

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Men's-Wear Serge Fine Wool Poplins

More Late Arrivals! A Special Purchase!

Extraordinary Tuesday Event! One-Day Reductions!

Models from New York's foremost makers! The new! The desirable! They're all here at this popular price—as a special introductory offer.

Plain tailored, pleated, belted, embroidered and braid trimmed styles, silk lined, featuring vestee fronts, overcollars and the new narrow skirts. Navy, black and light Spring colors; sizes for misses and women. Spring Suits that are worth dollars and dollars more—as a

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Box-Coat Models New Flare Coats

STIX, BAER & FULLER GRAND-LEADER FOR THE AUTOIST

For tomorrow we offer some wonderful reductions, and the motorist who practices thrift, will do well to supply his needs from the following items.



"Easy-Rider" Double-Arm Shock Absorbers

4 In Set, at \$3.98

Cantilever type (as illustrated). Will make your Ford ride easier, save tires and save your car. They are guaranteed throughout at the special \$3.98 price. While the lot lasts.

"Easy Rider" Flexible Spring Ford Bumpers, \$4.95

"Quick Jack" Tire Savers—They jack up your four wheels in a minute and save thousands of miles on your tires. \$2.50 set of four at

Anti-Draft Shields at 69c
Ford Hood Covers at \$2.25
1917 Maxwell Hood Covers, 98c
Two-cylinder Pumps, \$4.95
Steamer Laprobes, 60x80 inches, plaid designs, at \$4.95
Arcite Anti-Freeze Compound, one-gallon can at 85c
30x3 1/2 Weed Chains, pair, \$4.85
30x3 1/2 Ridoskid Chains, pair, \$2.65
Sheet Celluloid, 36x20 inches, at \$7.00
Sheet Celluloid, 12x20 inches, at 35c
Celluloid Cement, per can, 45c
Champion X Spark Plugs, 1 1/2-inch only (buying limit 4 to a customer), at each, 45c
Champion X Spark Plug, porcelain, at 29c

"Jumbo Molite" Spark Plugs

4 for \$1.00

Guaranteed by the factory, and come in size 7/8-inch only

(Second Floor Annex.)



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GRAND-LEADER

The Silk Classic of St. Louis

—So we have termed this February Silk Sale! We have never held a greater sale nor offered such remarkable values. The Silks are the most desirable weaves for Spring and Summer. There are exquisite Brocades, imported from Europe, American-woven Satins, Taffetas and Pussy Willows, and Georgette Crepes of fairy texture—in quantities and colors that offer the widest possible selection. In every yard of silk offered, the value is exceptional.

There are thousands of yards of Silk in this sale. It would take more than a week—more than a month to sell every piece. Those who missed the first day of this selling will find wonderful varieties of every Silk listed in our opening announcement offered again tomorrow.

Whatever you desire in Silks, we urge you to buy now while the savings are so advantageous to you.

The February Sale of Silk Petticoats

The advance petticoat models which conform to the present styles of dress in a variety which meets with every requirement, fashioned of materials which are thoroughly dependable, are very specially priced for this occasion.

Tub Silk Petticoats in gray, navy, Copenhagen, rose, tan and emerald, with plaited flounce and elastic waistband. This petticoat can be recommended for practical wear; on sale at **\$2.67**

Taffeta Silk Petticoats in all the newest solid colors and changeables; the flounces are trimmed with ruffles and hemstitching. A splendid quality and excellent value at the price, **\$3.67**

Silk Jersey Petticoats with deep knife pleated flounce trimmed with contrasting color satin ribbon. Come in all the newest solid colored shades and black, **\$4.98**

Silk Jersey and Silk Jersey Top Petticoats, in a splendid collection; with pleated and tucked flounces, in all solid colors, taffeta flounces; come in solid and changeable colors, at **\$3.98**

(Second Floor.)

Novelty Silks
Plaid Taffetas and Satins, striped Satins and Taffetas.
French plaids, tartan plaids.
Monotone stripes, solid stripes, block checks.

In a wonderful color range and combinations of colors. The most extraordinary value-giving in the history of silk selling in St. Louis. Yard wide, at, **\$1.00**

Foulard Silks
A special assortment in a splendid color range—blues, greens, browns, blacks, navys, Copenhagen; 36 inches wide. **\$1.39**

Printed Satin de Chine
In new 1919 designs—a distinctive quality silk. 36 and 40 inches wide. **\$1.98**

Wash Satins
Fine, even, fast bound surface. The Tub Satins that do not discolor or rough up. 32 and 36 inches wide. Yard, **\$1.10, \$1.39, \$1.50, \$1.79**

Genuine Diamant Novelties
A beautiful, aristocratic silk, shown in exclusive new designs and colors. 40 inches wide. Yard, **\$2.89**

Pussy Willows
The fashionable silk—the best known and best looking silk of the season. A selected lot. In this sale. 40-inch. Yard, **\$3.19**

Plain Taffeta Silk
An exceptional quality. In all the Spring shades. Yard wide. Yard, **\$1.39**

Satin
Rich in quality, durable in wear and in an exceptional color range in Messalines, ciel blue, mole taupe, bois rose, damson, reseda, marine, ecru, luminaux, Quaker gray, navy blue, buttercup, Labrador, midnight, white, seal, Belgian. Yard wide. The yard, **\$1.39**

Plain Satin de Chine
In a quality that is durable and dependable. In all the popular Spring shades. One yard wide. Sale price, **\$1.65**

Beautiful Duchesse Satins
Fast bound, even thread Satin Duchesse. Shown in colorings for house, street and evening wear. Choice of 34 colors. One yard wide. The yard, **\$1.98**

Glaze Changeable Satins
Luminaux Satin in finest hand finish, soft and pliable. Fifteen color combinations. 36 inches wide. The yard, **\$1.89**

Genuine Imperial Satin
The aristocrat of Satins. This Imperial Satin is regal in its beauty of colorings and quality and texture. Shown in 35 shades; black and also white. 36 in. wide. Yard, **\$2.75**



The February Sale of Silk Gloves

—“Seconds”

THIS is the great annual sale of slightly imperfect gloves from one of the foremost manufacturers of the world and comprises every style of glove this concern manufactures.

The defects in most cases are very slight and it would require an expert to detect them. But because this manufacturer maintains such a high standard for his product, they are termed imperfect, and are sold to us at a great concession.

The variety is immense, embracing the two-clasp glove as well as the long glove, in all colors and black and white, with Paris Point backs and heavily embroidered in two-toned, self and contrasting embroidery. They are all double finger tipped and will give splendid service.

Here is the range of prices: Women's 2-Clasp Gloves of excellent quality tricot silk, on special sale at the pair, **63c**

Women's 2-Clasp Gloves of good quality Milanese silk, on special sale at the pair, **79c**

Women's 2-Clasp Gloves of best quality, heavy Milanese silk, on special sale, pair, **\$1.10**

Women's Long Silk Gloves of fine quality Milanese silk, on special sale at pair, **\$1.00**

Women's Long Silk Gloves of extra heavy weight Milanese silk, on special sale at the pair, **\$1.50**

(Main Floor.)

Tuesday Is “Economy Day”—The Savings Are Worth While

Economy Sale of Toilet Articles

QUANTITY, in many instances, is limited, and not guaranteed to last throughout the day. No mail or phone orders filled. The prices are for Tuesday—“Economy Day.”

Palmolive Soap
Buying limit dozen cakes; dozen, **85c**; Cake, **7c**

Cuticura Soap
Buying limit 1 box, 3 cakes to the box, at **52c**. Cake, **18c**

Woodbury's Facial Soap
Buying limit 1 box, 3 cakes to the box, at **52c**. Cake, **18c**

Jergens' Violet Glycerine Soap
Buying limit 6 cakes. Cake, **7c**

Sweet Marie
A perfumed toilet soap. Buying limit 1 dozen at **35c**, or **3c**. Cake, **3c**

Ivory Soap
Buying limit 6 cakes, at **6 Cakes, 30c**

Fairy Soap
Buying limit 6 cakes, at **6 Cakes, 29c**

Mulsified Coconut Oil Shampoo
Buying limit 2 bottles, at, **Bottle, 37c**

Creams and Lotions
Malvina Cream—For freckles, **39c**
Santalol Massage, Face or Cold Cream, **18c**
Daggett & Ramsdell's Cream—Small tube, **7c**
Eucaly Cream or Glycerine, **49c**
Milkweed Cream—Small, **39c**; large, **69c**
Espey's Cream—Small size, **19c**
Orchard White—3-oz. bottle, **29c**
Palmolive Cold Cream—Jar, **37c**
Palmolive Cold Cream—Tube, **37c**
Oriental Cream Liquid Beautifier—Bottle, **\$1.25**
Sempre Giovine—“Always Young,” **39c**

Complexion Powders and Cosmetics
Eucaly Powder, all colors, **39c**
Java Rice Powder, **35c**
Dora Imported Powder, **34c**
Stanley's Face Powder, **15c**
Pozzoni Complexion Powder, **39c**
Santalol Face Powder, **18c**
Palmolive Rouge, **37c**
Stein's Theatrical Powder—1/2 pound, **35c**
Tillow's Gossamer Powder, **19c**
Ambre Royal Face Powder, **\$2.19**
Ashes of Roses Rouge, **35c**
Paper Poudre (powder), **19c**

Hair Preparations
Dandierine—Small, **14c**; medium, **49c**; large, **79c**
Herpicide Hair Tonic—Small, **39c**; large, **79c**
Lott's Hair Restorer, **69c**
Parisian Sage Hair Tonic, **45c**
Walnut Hair Stain, **45c**
Santalol Liquid Shampoo, **18c**
Wanous Shampoo Bags—Each, **30c**
Pinaud's Bandoline—3-oz. bottle, **30c**
Baldpate Hair Tonic, **50c**
Williams' Brilliantine, **35c**
Pinaud's Eau de Quinine Hair Tonic—Small, **45c**; large, **90c**
Palmolive Liquid Shampoo, **18c**
Ela Rada Liquid Hair Remover—Large size, **85c**
De Miracle—For removing hair; small size, **45c**

Shaving Preparations
Williams' Shaving Stick, Powder or Cream, **19c**
Palmolive Shaving Cream, **23c**
Mennen's Shaving Cream, **27c**
Palmolive Shaving Stick, **19c**
Williams' Cup Soap—Per cake, **25c**
Resinol Shaving Stick, **27c**
Bath and Toilet Soaps, **7c**
English Wash Ball Glycerine Tablet, **25c**
English Rose Bath Tablet, **25c**
Brownley's English Violette Soap—Cake, **8c**
Roger & Gallet's Almond Soap—Cake, **25c**
Brownley's English Violette Soap—Cake, **8c**
Craddock's Blue Soap—Cake, **7c**
Kirk's Juvenile Soap—Per cake, **8c**
Germicidal Soap—Cake, **8c**

For the Teeth
Dr. Cates' Cato Tooth Paste, **35c**
Dr. Lyons' Tooth Powder, **18c**
Santalol Tooth Paste or Powder, **17c**
Senecio Tooth Paste, **13c**
Euthymol Tooth Paste, **17c**
Kolyon Tooth Paste, **21c**
Manicure Requisites, **23c**
Cuticle and Nail Scissors—Pair, **19c**
Flexible Nail Files, **19c**
Bonny Nail White—Paste or powder, **19c**
Hylo Nail Polish, **19c**
Simplex Cuticle Remover—Large, **35c**
La Parisienne Nail Polish, **5c**

Talcum Powder
Mennen's Borated or Violet Talcum Powder—Large size, **20c**
Eucaly Talcum Powder, **10c**
Squibb's Talcum Powder—Violet or carnation, **13c**
Babcock's Corylopsis Talcum Powder, **14c**
Mennen's Talcum Powder—Flesh, or for men: medium size, **15c**
Massatta Talcum Powder, **15c**
Williams' Talcum Powder—Matinee odor, **13c**
Lehn & Fink's Revivis Talcum Powder, **10c**
Houbigant's Talcum Powder, **90c**

Perfumes and Toilet Waters
Brownley's Sea Breeze Cologne—Small, **50c**; medium, **75c**; large, **\$1.50**
Roger & Gallet's Eau de Rose or Orange Flower—Bottle, **25c**
Woodworth's Violets of Sicily Perfume—Oz., **45c**
Rigaud's Mary Garden, Lilas or High Jinks Perfumes—Oz., **\$2.00**
Houbigant's Ideal Toilet Water—Oz., **75c**

Home Remedies
Well-known standard preparations at savings in price.
Sloan's Liniment—Bottle, **20c**
Caldwell's Syrup of Peppermint—Medium size bottle, **36c**
Fletcher's Castoria—Per bottle, **26c**
Nujol—Large bottle, **79c**
Cod Liver Oil Emulsion—12-oz. bottle, **88c**
Syrup of Sarsaparilla—Oz. bottle, **59c**
Beef, Wine and Iron—8-oz. bottle, **41c**; 16-oz., **73c**
Syrup of Hypophosphite—16-oz., **69c**
White Pine Cough Syrup—Bottle, **15c**
Milk of Magnesia—8-oz., **23c**
Cathartic Pills—25 in bottle, **10c**
Bremo Seltzer—Medium bottle, **23c**
Menthon Inhalers—Each, **8c**
Gauze Bandages—1 1/2-in., **10c**; 2-in., **18c**

(Main Floor.)

Lambert's Listerine
Buying limit 2 bottles, at, **7-oz. Bottles, 34c**
14-oz. Bottles, 66c

Double Distilled Witch Hazel
Buying limit 2 bottles, 16-oz. Bottle, **18c**

Hind's Honey and Almond Cream
Buying limit 2 bottles, at, **Bottle, 34c**

Pinaud's Lilas Vegetal
Buying limit 2 bottles, at, **Bottle, 66c**

Armour's Venetian Bath Tablets
Assorted odors. Buying limit 6 tablets, **Each, 7c**

Absorbent Cotton
Buying limit 2 rolls—1-pound Roll, **35c**

Williams' Barber Bar Shaving Soap
Buying limit 1 pound, 9 cakes to the pound, at **A pound, 45c**

Children's Skirts
FLANNELETTE Skirts, **50c** in all white or pink-and-blue stripes, finished with scalloped ruffle muslin waist. Sizes 2 to 12 years. (Second Floor.)

Tub Silk Petticoats
COTTON top with **\$1.98** deep Habutai silk flounce, finished with hemstitched ruffle. Elastic waistband. In white only. (Second Floor.)

3-Cell Flashlights
THREE-CELL Tubular Nickel-plated **\$1.29** Flashlights. Complete with battery, and all ready to use. (Auto Accessories Dept.—2nd Fl.)

Cluny Centerpieces
HANDMADE French Cluny Centerpieces **\$1.25** pieces, with wide border of Cluny lace. 18 inches in diameter. (Second Floor—Art Needlework.)

Lace-Trimmed Scarfs
FILET Lace-Trimmed Scarfs, size 18x45 inches, with Filet panel center and medallion on either end. (Second Floor—Art Needlework.)

Mechanical Toy
CONSISTING of two figures playing see-saw, with ball. Very amusing for the little ones. (Fifth Floor.)

Fancy Stationery, Box
TWENTY-FOUR sheets, **49c** of satin linen stock, in white, pink, blue, heliotrope and buff, with 24 envelopes in the popular long narrow shape, lined in attractive tints. (Main Floor.)

Twilled Tapes, Piece
WHITE Twilled Tape, various widths, 3 yards to the piece, at **4c** piece, or **3 pieces 10c**. (Main Floor.)

Machine Oil, Bottle
BEST quality Machine Oil, **5c** in 2-ounce bottles. (Main Floor.)

Men's Shirts or Drawers
HEAVY gray wool-mixed Shirts in sizes **79c** 36 to 44, and Drawers in 34 to 44 sizes. (Main Floor.)

Madras Portieres, Pair
MERCERIZED Madras Portieres, in **\$4.85** pleasing color combinations, 30 inches wide, and can be used for single doors as well as for window overdraperies. (Fourth Floor.)

Men's Blanket Robes
MADE of good quality-wool blanket cloth in a great variety of patterns, in light and dark gray, light and dark blue, rose, red, lavender and beautiful floral designs. All sizes 36 to 44. (Downstairs Store.)

Men's Shirts or Drawers
FINE Balbriggan Shirts **35c** and Drawers, lot of samples in a fair range of sizes. (Downstairs Store.)

Men's Cotton Socks, Pair
FINE gauge Cotton Socks with extra padded heels and toes. Some slightly irregular. (Downstairs Store.)

Curtain Marquisettes, Yd.
THREE THOUSAND **15c** yards of Mercerized Marquisettes, in plain and tape-edge lengths—white and ivory shades. Style—white and ivory. (Fourth Floor.)

Men's Percal Pajamas
OF striped percales, **\$1.15** OF assorted colors. Made with V-shape neck. All sizes. (Main Floor.)

Boys' Percal Blouses
OF extra good quality percale in new colored striped patterns. Soft collar attached, tapeless. All sizes. (Main Floor.)

Steel Mats, Each
WIRE Door Mats, rust-proof and in size 18x30 inches. (Fourth Floor.)

Rag Rugs, Each
IN a beautiful assortment of colorings, **\$1.39** suitable for bedrooms and bathrooms. Size 27x54 inches. (Fourth Floor.)

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OF good quality percale in stripes, checks, in light and dark shades. Sizes 36 to 44. Although some are subject to slight imperfections, they are excellent values. (Downstairs Store.)

Women's Blanket Robes
MADE of good quality-wool blanket cloth in a great variety of patterns, in light and dark gray, light and dark blue, rose, red, lavender and beautiful floral designs. All sizes 36 to 44. (Downstairs Store.)

Men's Shirts or Drawers
FINE Balbriggan Shirts **35c** and Drawers, lot of samples in a fair range of sizes. (Downstairs Store.)

Men's Cotton Socks, Pair
FINE gauge Cotton Socks with extra padded heels and toes. Some slightly irregular. (Downstairs Store.)

Curtain Marquisettes, Yd.
THREE THOUSAND **15c** yards of Mercerized Marquisettes, in plain and tape-edge lengths—white and ivory shades. Style—white and ivory. (Fourth Floor.)

Men's Percal Pajamas
OF striped percales, **\$1.15** OF assorted colors. Made with V-shape neck. All sizes. (Main Floor.)

Boys' Percal Blouses
OF extra good quality percale in new colored striped patterns. Soft collar attached, tapeless. All sizes. (Main Floor.)

Steel Mats, Each
WIRE Door Mats, rust-proof and in size 18x30 inches. (Fourth Floor.)

Rag Rugs, Each
IN a beautiful assortment of colorings, **\$1.39** suitable for bedrooms and bathrooms. Size 27x54 inches. (Fourth Floor.)

Overdrapery Materials
COME in the madras 78c harmonize with any decorative scheme. (Fourth Floor.)

Madras Portieres, Pair
MERCERIZED Madras Portieres, in two-tone color combinations, 30 inches wide. (Fourth Floor.)

New Tub Dresses
OF good quality percale in stripes, checks, in light and dark shades. Sizes 36 to 44. Although some are subject to slight imperfections, they are excellent values. (Downstairs Store.)

Women's Blanket Robes
MADE of good quality-wool blanket cloth in a great variety of patterns, in light and dark gray, light and dark blue, rose, red, lavender and beautiful floral designs. All sizes 36 to 44. (Downstairs Store.)

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COMPENSATION BILL INDORSED BY CENTRAL TRADES

Committee of Five Named
to Go to Jefferson City to
Work for Passage of
Measure.

EMPLOYMENT OF ALIENS OPPOSED

Meeting Discusses Disobed-
ience of War Labor Board's
Rulings by St. Louis Man-
ufacturers.

Central Trades and Labor Union at its regular meeting yesterday, at 223 Olive street, unanimously indorsed the workmen's compensation bill, pending before the State Legislature, and appointed a committee of five members to visit Jefferson City in behalf of the measure. Other business considered was a mass meeting to protest against prohibition; employment of alien labor by the city and disobedience of the decrees of the War Labor Board by St. Louis manufacturers. The previous vote of the body, indorsing Mayor Kiel and his deal with the United Railways, was not reconsidered. There was a large attendance and the meeting lasted four hours.

Maurice J. Cassidy, secretary of the Building Trades Council, and Alroy S. Phillips, an attorney, urged intensive consideration of the employees' compensation bill and pointed out that there was a strong organization of capitalists working against its passage. They called attention to the bill's features, and said labor would have to be a unit in favor of it to guarantee its passage. Joseph E. Woracek, president of the central body, David Kreyling, secretary; H. Clay Schmidt, Joseph Hauser and Daniel J. Murphy were chosen to go to Jefferson City this week in behalf of the bill. Another committee of five was appointed to speak on the bill at meetings of union locals within the next two weeks.

Other Matters Acted On.
The delegates went on record to urge the city administration to employ in the future citizens of the United States in preference to aliens, with St. Louisians given first choice. Such a bill is pending in the Board of Aldermen.

A suggestion of the Building Trades Council for a joint meeting of the delegates of that body and those of the central body to protest to the Government against evasion of the War Labor Board decrees by certain St. Louis manufacturers was concurred in by unanimous vote. It was pointed out that wages are being reduced by some manufacturers and that others have ignored the rulings of the board.

J. W. Williams, of the Carpenters' District Council, said the War Labor Board was powerless and afraid to attempt to enforce its rulings, and that the Government should give the board more power or abolish it and remove labor from its agreement with the board so that workmen could exercise their constitutional rights in enforcing their just demands. He mentioned the St. Louis Car Co. as being one of the offending manufacturers.

Motion to Reconsider U. R. Deal.
Moving Picture Operators Local No. 143 sent a communication to the meeting upholding the vote of its delegate, William F. Canavan, against Mayor Kiel and his deal with the United Railways.

Early in the meeting William B. Baker of the St. Louis Union Labels Section, which is composed of 28 affiliated organizations, made a motion to reconsider the vote two weeks ago of the delegates who indorsed Mayor Kiel and his deal with the United Railways. Baker stated that he had voted against the resolution. President Woracek ruled that reconsideration could be had only at the request of a delegate who had voted for the resolution. The question did not arise again.

MOTHER OF DEAD SOLDIER IS SOUGHT TO GIVE HER MESSAGE

Artillery Sergeant Sent Last Word to Her—Safety of Another Soldier Reported.

A Mrs. Green of St. Louis, mother of a sergeant in Battery E, 12th Field Artillery, who died in the service, is being sought for the purpose of delivering to her the last message of her son.

A comrade of the sergeant forwarded the message to friends in Illinois and they, in turn, wrote to Miss Beatrice Genevieve Chenot, 4723 Page Boulevard. Miss Chenot will be glad to have Mrs. Green's address so that she can convey the message to her. Miss Chenot's telephone number is Forest 4149M.

A telegram from Washington addressed to L. R. Compton, in care of Red Cross Chapter, St. Louis, has been received at the local Red Cross office. It reads: "Cable from Paris reports Wagner Walter Kietzel well and on duty." Compton's address is not known.

Barberry Hedges Condemned.
OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 10.—Special officers from United States Department of Agriculture are searching this city for barberry hedges, which are said to harbor wheat rust. They urge the hedges "Please Remove" with a card of explanation. They say they will be back in the spring to see if the request has been complied with.

WINNER OF D. S. C. WEARING DECORATION



CORP. WILLIAM J. EARLE.

To Train Merchant Sailors.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—To maintain facilities for training merchant seamen, the Shipping Board has decided to turn six of the wooden cargo steamers built during the war into training ships. More than 38,000 young men have signed applications to take the courses which the board is giving and it is planned to add deep-sea cruises to the curriculum.

SOLDIER FROM EAST ST. LOUIS WINNER OF SERVICE CROSS

Corp. W. J. Earle Says Nothing in Letter to Brother of How He Earned Decoration.

Corp. William J. Earle, 22 years old, of E Company, Ninth Infantry, has written to his brother, Louis Earle, of 3154 State street, East St. Louis, saying that he has won the Distinguished Service Cross. This is awarded only for extraordinary heroism in action.

His letter said nothing about the circumstances under which he won the award. "I am sending you a photo of my pal and me," he wrote. "It shows my D. S. C." Sure enough; there, in the picture, was the cross on Earle's blouse. He said he was serving in the army of occupation near Coblenz, on the Rhine, and was in good health.

Earle enlisted in the regular army in December, 1916. He served on the Mexican border before going to France, where he landed in September, 1917. He was formerly employed at the National Stockyards. A brother, Claud Earle, died a year ago in Camp Pike, Ark.

MAN FOUND DEAD IN HIS ROOM

Place Filled With Gas and Evidence of an Accident.

Adolph Rupenthal, 70 years old, was found dead in his room at George Byrne's home, 5308A Theodosia avenue, when the family returned from a visit at 11 o'clock last night. A gas stove was turned on and the room filled with the fumes. Police investigation revealed that the man had apparently put on a pot of coffee to heat and the coffee apparently had boiled over, extinguishing the flame and allowing the gas to fill the room. A son, Harry, lives at 1392 Granville place.

TALKED ABOUT "FAKE" HOLDUP TILL HE BELIEVED IT HIMSELF

Man Breaks Down and Confesses to Canard When Sent For to View Suspects.

When James Eldson, a machinist, 1439 Stewart place, arrived at police headquarters this morning, accompanied by his wife, after he had been summoned to view three suspects arrested after he had reported being held up Feb. 3, he broke down, wept and said he had not been held up and wanted the suspects released immediately to "get it off" his conscience.

Eldson then related how he came to report the alleged holdup. He said "It shows my D. S. C." Sure enough; there, in the picture, was the cross on Earle's blouse. He said he was serving in the army of occupation near Coblenz, on the Rhine, and was in good health.

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Venus Pencils.

No work Venus Pencils cannot do—Adv.

Soldier's Name for Hospital.

SUPERIOR, Neb., Feb. 10.—The Taylor Lewis Memorial Hospital has been opened here. It is named after Taylor Lewis, the first soldier from this community to die in France. Other community hospitals are planned here.

Mid-Month List Columbia Records



NORA BAYES Sings "Goodbye France"

No one but our Nora could so touchingly voice the good-bye of our khaki-clad heroes. On the other side, in her finest, richest brogue, "My Barney Lies Over the Ocean." And note this—it's a Nora Bayes double record at 85 cents!

A-2678—85c



"The Navy Will Bring Them Back"

Hear how the Boys in Blue are going to bring the Hun Hunters home again. Then as a climax, listen to "Mother, Here's Your Boy"—on the other side.

A-2677—85c

Yerkes Jazarimba Orchestra Jazzes the Marimbas

Pow! Bim! Br-r-r-rrrr! Tom-tom, machine gun music, this jazzing of the marimbas! "Oui, Oui, Marie," one-step, on one side, and "Stick in the Mud," fox-trot, on the other.

A-6088—\$1.25



A Few More Mid-Month Hits

Kiss Me Again	Halda Lashanska	77843
		\$1.00
Kisses (The sweetest kisses of all)	Campbell and Barr	A-2676
I Found the End of the Rainbow	Samuel Ash	85c
Quand Madelon	French Army Band	A-2675
Le Tram	French Army Band	85c



New Columbia Records on Sale the
10th and 20th of Every Month

COLUMBIA GRAPHOPHONE COMPANY, New York

Columbia Gramophone
Standard Models up
to \$200. Period Designs
up to \$2100

Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney

OLIVE AND LOCUST FROM NINTH TO TENTH

A Great Sale of Furs at 1/4 Less Than Regular

These luxurious furs represent the samples of several of New York's leading furriers. We secured them at a big saving—and are able to offer them to you at one-fourth less than you would ordinarily pay for such Quality Furs.

Furs will be high next Winter. The cost of the pelts at the recent Fur Auctions indicate that. Now is the logical time for you to buy—and when the opportunity to purchase Quality Furs at prices even cheaper than this season's is offered you should grasp it.

All Furs are here at this reduction—and all are new. We give a partial list below.

Handsome Mink Scarfs, Capes and Throws—valued from \$50.00 to \$450.00—priced

\$37.50 to \$337.50

Exquisite, exclusive Coats in mole, Hudson seal, taupe and natural muskrat, rich caracul, leopard and Persian lamb—in three-quarter and full length styles—some elegant in their simplicity while other models show contrasting trimming. Soft, beautiful Coats valued from \$245 to \$750. Priced

\$183.75 to \$562.50

Blended Hudson Bay Sable Cape, Throws and Coats—ordinarily priced from \$825 to \$1400—priced

\$618.75 to \$1050.00

Fur Shop—Third Floor.

Rich black and Georgette Linx Scarfs, Capes and Throws—ordinarily priced from \$50 to \$200 are priced from

\$37.50 to \$150.00

A beautiful collection of Coats in taupe, caracul, mole, Hudson seal, black lynx, cannon squirrel, caracul, Japanese sables, taupe and natural muskrat—in plain and contrasting trimmed styles, priced from \$125 to \$495—during this event

\$93.75 to \$371.25

Have You Taken Advantage of This Sale of



Men's Suits and Overcoats at \$15.75 and \$19.75

These values represent the best Winter models, having been reduced from higher-priced lines.

At \$15.75 This group consists of Winter Overcoats ranging in size from 33 to 42 and Suits in size from 32 to 50, all reduced from higher prices.

At \$19.75 This group represents Winter Overcoats in sizes ranging from 34 to 48 and Suits in sizes from 34 to 50; every one a splendid value and every one has been reduced from higher prices.

Take advantage of this opportunity to buy a Vandervoort Suit and Overcoat at a decided saving—and buy it for use the coming Fall and Winter, if you don't need it now.

Men's Clothing Shop—Second Floor.

Sewing Machines at Reduced Prices



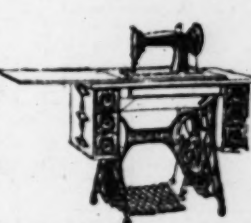
This is an opportunity to buy a high-grade Sewing Machine at a big saving. In this collection of Machines are new models and Machines which have been used as floor samples. We list a few:

\$70.50 "Free" Six-Drawer reduced to	\$45.00
\$60.00 Standard Rotary reduced to	\$35.00
\$29.50 Our Special reduced to	\$21.00
\$82.50 Cabinet reduced to net	\$66.00
\$74.00 Singer 66, new, reduced to	\$65.00

We will take your old machine in exchange on the purchase of the "Free" Cabinet.

Our Club Plan—
\$5 Monthly or \$1 a Week

Sewing Machine Shop—Second Fl.



You Must Pay the Tax

Do you want to be taxed every time you buy an article of a little better quality than your Senators and Congressmen think you should have?

If you don't want to pay such taxes, sign a petition asking Congress not to pass these unnecessary and wrongly-named "Luxury Taxes."

Petitions can be signed at Cashier's Desk—First Floor.



"Majestic" Electric Heaters for Cold Weather

The Majestic No. 7 Electric Heater has an adjustable wire guard which can be removed for cleaning and is also a protective measure. The back of the Majestic is always cool—eliminating the danger of an overheated back.

The Majestic No. 7 is good-looking and is a splendid value at

\$9.00

"Perfection" Oil Heaters are economical, clean and safe and give a splendid heat, these come in 3 sizes.

\$5.65 \$6.70 \$8.50

54 I. W. W. ALIENS ARRESTED ON WAY TO BE DEPORTED

Forty of the Men Were Taken in Seattle by Agents of United States Immigration Service.

CASES ALL PASSED BY SECRETARY WILSON

Government Detectives Worked Among the Labor Disturbers in Northwest—Nearly All Go to Russian Provinces.

By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Fifty-four members of the Industrial Workers of the World passed through Chicago last night in a special train under a heavy guard on the way to an Atlantic port, where, it is said, they will be deported at once by the immigration authorities. Forty of the prisoners came direct from Seattle, where they took part in fomenting the general strike which has paralyzed the industries of that city for several days. Three leaders of the Seattle strike, one Spokane agitator, an I. W. W. leader from Denver and five alien convicts arrested in Chicago, were among the prisoners arrested.

Alien Labor Agitators. The majority of the men were alien labor agitators picked up by officers of the United States Immigration Service during a year of secret campaigning in industrial centers of the Pacific coast. A. D. H. Jackson, chief of the Seattle office of the Immigration Service, was in charge of the party.

"The proceeding against United States' enemies of this type is simple," an official with the train said. "Just two hours before the Seattle strike was called we gathered 49 agitators into the cars with everything cleared away between them and the middle of the Atlantic Ocean. For more than a year the Immigration Service has been working quietly in all industrial centers checking up the aliens who have appeared and gathered evidence against I. W. W. leaders and trouble makers who call themselves Bolsheviks."

When evidence was compiled against this particular crowd each case was brought to a Federal hearing and all court findings sent to Washington where they were reviewed by Secretary of Labor Wilson. The Secretary has the power to order this type of prisoner deported or released, and so far there has been little trouble in getting quick action.

This Is Better Than Laxatives

One NR Tablet Each Night for a Week Will Correct Your Constipation and Make Constant Dosing Unnecessary. Try It.

Poor digestion and assimilation mean a poorly nourished body and low vitality. Poor elimination means clogged bowels, fermentation, putrefaction and the formation of poisonous gases which are absorbed by the blood and carried through the body. The result is weakness, headaches, dizziness, coated tongue, inactive liver, bilious attacks, loss of energy, nervousness, poor appetite, impoverished blood, sallow complexion, pimples, skin diseases, and often times serious illness.

Ordinary laxatives, purges and cathartics—sals, oils, calomel and the like—may relieve for a few hours, but real, lasting benefit can only come through use of medicine that tones up and strengthens the digestive as well as the eliminative organs.

Get a 25c box of Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) and take one tablet each night for a week. Relief will follow the very first dose, but a few days will elapse before you feel the full benefit. When you get straightened out, you need not take medicine again you need not take medicine every day—an occasional NR Tablet will then keep your system in good condition and you will always feel your best. Hence, keeping well is easier and cheaper than getting well.

Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) is sold, guaranteed and recommended by your druggist.

Nature's Remedy
Better than Pills GET A 25c Box For Liver Ills. —ADV—

Blue Birds—

MORE than one hundred of them for tomorrow—representing the best merchandise in the house at radical reductions—but remember, for one day only.

Blue Bird No. 47,611—Tuesday Only.
40c Chambray 35c
30-inch Imperial Chambray, plain colors and checks.
Blue Bird No. 47,612—Tuesday Only.
76c Gingham 60c
32-inch Dress Gingham, plaids and plain colors.
Blue Bird No. 47,613—Tuesday Only.
37c Percale 30c
White and colored Percale, with stripes and figures.
Blue Bird No. 47,614—Tuesday Only.
\$3.00 Serge \$2.25
48-inch all-wool French Serge, medium weight, several colors.
Blue Bird No. 47,615—Tuesday Only.
\$3.50 Serge \$2.50
54-inch all-wool French Serge, heavy weight, various shades.
Blue Bird No. 47,616—Tuesday Only.
\$4.75 Broadcloth \$4.00
52-inch black Chiffon Broadcloth, satin finish.
Blue Bird No. 47,617—Tuesday Only.
\$7.50 Bowls \$5.90
9-inch Cut Glass Bowls, floral design.
Blue Bird No. 47,618—Tuesday Only.
\$2.00 Nappies, \$1.60
4½-inch Colonial Nappies; dozen, \$1.25.
Blue Bird No. 47,619—Tuesday Only.
50c Bowls 35c
Colonial Glass Salad Bowls.
Blue Bird No. 47,620—Tuesday Only.
76c Tumblers 60c
Colonial Water Tumblers, 7½c per dozen.
Blue Bird No. 47,621—Tuesday Only.
\$2.45 Scales \$1.95
Household Scales, black enameled steel frames.
Blue Bird No. 47,622—Tuesday Only.
95c Casseroles 80c
Casseroles with highly plated frames, pure aluminum insets.
Blue Bird No. 47,623—Tuesday Only.
50c Oil 35c
High-grade Cedar Oil, 32-ounce bottles.

Blue Bird No. 47,624—Tuesday Only.
\$4.00 Bread Mixers \$2.85
"Universal" Bread Mixers, two to six loaf capacity.
Blue Bird No. 47,625—Tuesday Only.
\$1.50 Wash Boilers \$1.05
No. 8 size, heavy tin Boilers, "non-corroding" galvanized bottoms.
Blue Bird No. 47,626—Tuesday Only.
\$2.50 Damask, \$2.10
70-inch Satin Damask, heavy quality; splendid patterns.
Blue Bird No. 47,627—Tuesday Only.
\$1.50 Damask \$1.20
70-inch bleached mercerized Damask, various patterns.
Blue Bird No. 47,628—Tuesday Only.
\$2.50 Pattern Cloth \$2.00
64x71 bleached mercerized Pattern Cloth, hemstitched.
Blue Bird No. 47,629—Tuesday Only.
\$4.00 Napkins \$3.25
20½-inch Union Linen Damask Napkins, variety of patterns.
Blue Bird No. 47,630—Tuesday Only.
50c Towels 50c
21x41 bleached Turkish Towels, heavy quality.
Blue Bird No. 47,631—Tuesday Only.
65c Towels 50c
18x36 Union Linen Huck Towels, hemmed ready for use.
Blue Bird No. 47,632—Tuesday Only.
\$3.75 Long Cloth \$3.25
36-inch English Longcloth, fine soft weave.
Blue Bird No. 47,633—Tuesday Only.
29c Voile 24c
36-inch white Voile of soft firm thread.
Blue Bird No. 47,634—Tuesday Only.
80c Pique 70c
36-inch white Pique, fine cord.
Blue Bird No. 47,635—Tuesday Only.
60c Scissors 45c
Good quality steel Manicure Scissors.
Blue Bird No. 47,636—Tuesday Only.
85c Shields 65c
La Vida Garment Shields, black, white and pink.

Blue Bird No. 47,637—Tuesday Only.
27c Cream 22c
Sanitol Face Cream.
Blue Bird No. 47,638—Tuesday Only.
75c Sachet 60c
Pivera's Aurore, Le Trefle or Florange Sachet.
Blue Bird No. 47,639—Tuesday Only.
\$1.00 Pearls, 75c
Japanese Pearl Necklaces, opera length, gold-filled clasp.
Blue Bird No. 47,640—Tuesday Only.
\$3.50 Bags, \$2.90
Morocco Leather Handbags, silk lined, with mirror.
Blue Bird No. 47,641—Tuesday Only.
\$7.95 Traveling Bags \$6.50
18-inch brown Cowhide Traveling Bags, full leather lined.
Blue Bird No. 47,642—Tuesday Only.
\$13.95 Trunks \$11.80
20½-inch heavy canvas-covered Dress Trunks, reinforced.
Blue Bird No. 47,643—Tuesday Only.
\$1.50 Stationery \$1.20
One quire White Paper, lined Envelopes, ragged edge.
Blue Bird No. 47,644—Tuesday Only.
\$1.00 Gloves 80c
Women's 2-clasp white Chamoisette Gloves.
Blue Bird No. 47,645—Tuesday Only.
\$2.95 Gloves \$2.35
Women's 1-clasp Trefousse Kid Gloves, black or white.
Blue Bird No. 47,646—Tuesday Only.
\$3.50 Hose \$2.75
Women's embroidered Silk Hose.
Blue Bird No. 47,647—Tuesday Only.
\$1.59 Hose \$1.20
Women's Silk Hose, full fashioned.
Blue Bird No. 47,648—Tuesday Only.
\$2.25 Hose \$1.85
Women's Silk Hose, full fashioned.
Blue Bird No. 47,649—Tuesday Only.
\$2.50 Underwear \$1.75
Men's part-wool Shirts and Drawers.

Blue Bird No. 47,650—Tuesday Only.
\$1.00 Union Suits 75c
Boys' white fleeced-lined Cotton Union Suits, up to 15 years.
Blue Bird No. 47,651—Tuesday Only.
\$2.00 Union Suits \$1.50
Richelle Cotton Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, ankle length, extra sizes.
Blue Bird No. 47,652—Tuesday Only.
\$10.00 Skirts \$8.00
Women's new Spring Skirts, in wool poplin and serge.
Blue Bird No. 47,653—Tuesday Only.
\$7.95 Comforts \$5.90
Full-size Comfort, fancy silk mull top.
Blue Bird No. 47,654—Tuesday Only.
\$4.00 Spreads \$3.15
Full-size heavy Crochet Spreads, scalloped or hemmed.
Blue Bird No. 47,655—Tuesday Only.
\$20.50 Beds, \$16.80
Spring Steel Beds, with sagproof spring; white or Venetian Martin finish.
Blue Bird No. 47,656—Tuesday Only.
\$13.50 Mattresses, \$10.40
Full-size Felt and Cotton Combination Mattresses, 45 pounds.
Blue Bird No. 47,657—Tuesday Only.
\$1.75 Umbrellas, \$1.30
Men's and Women's Taffeta Umbrellas, plain and trimmed handles.
Blue Bird No. 47,658—Tuesday Only.
\$12.50 Hats, \$10.00
Women's Trimmed Hats in Milan, Lisere and fancy braids.
Blue Bird No. 47,659—Tuesday Only.
\$7.50 Hats, \$6.00
Women's Trimmed Hats, in rough braids.
Blue Bird No. 47,660—Tuesday Only.
\$1.50 Caps, \$1.10
Roudolr Caps, rose trimming and ribbon frill.
Blue Bird No. 47,661—Tuesday Only.
\$1.50 Vests, \$1.15
Pique Vests, double breasted, Tuxedo collar.

Blue Bird No. 47,662—Tuesday Only.
25c Handkerchiefs, 20c
Women's Linen Initial Handkerchiefs.
Blue Bird No. 47,663—Tuesday Only.
\$1.59 Gowns, \$1.30
Stamped made-up Gowns, high-grade nainsook.
Blue Bird No. 47,664—Tuesday Only.
\$1.75 Rompers, \$1.35
Stamped made-up Rompers, 1 and 2 years.
Blue Bird No. 47,665—Tuesday Only.
\$2.50 Skates, \$1.95
Full ball-bearing Roller Skates.
Blue Bird No. 47,666—Tuesday Only.
\$10.00 Sulkies, \$7.50
Reed Baby Sulkies, rubber tired, gray finish.
Blue Bird No. 47,667—Tuesday Only.
\$35.00 Carriages, \$30.00
Reed Baby Carriages, various colors, reversible gears.
Blue Bird No. 47,668—Tuesday Only.
95c Sunfast, 75c
36-inch Sunfast Drapery, rose, blue and green.
Blue Bird No. 47,669—Tuesday Only.
39c Overdrapery, 30c
36-inch Overdrapery, in rose, blue and green.
Blue Bird No. 47,670—Tuesday Only.
\$47.50 Rugs, \$38.90
9x12 Seamless Wilton Velvet Rugs, in rose, gray and tan.
Blue Bird No. 47,671—Tuesday Only.
\$1.40 Linoleum, Sq. Yd., \$1.10
4-yard-wide Cork Linoleum, best grade, medium or dark shades.
Blue Bird No. 47,672—Tuesday Only.
\$1.39 Gowns, \$1.00
Children's Flannellette Gowns, sizes 2 to 6 years.
Blue Bird No. 47,673—Tuesday Only.
\$1.50 Brassieres, \$1.10
Nature's Rival Brassieres, lace and embroidery trimmed.

Blue Bird No. 47,674—Tuesday Only.
\$10.00 Corsets, \$7.50
Mme. Louise Pink Brocade Corsets, sizes 21 to 30.
Blue Bird No. 47,675—Tuesday Only.
\$2.98 Chemise, \$2.25
Philippine Envelope Chemise, sizes up to 44.
Blue Bird No. 47,676—Tuesday Only.
\$1.50 Gowns, \$1.25
Women's pink and white Gowns, slipover style, sizes 15, 16, 17.
Blue Bird No. 47,677—Tuesday Only.
\$2.25 Petticoats, \$1.90
Near-silk Petticoats, lengths 34 to 38.
Blue Bird No. 47,678—Tuesday Only.
\$2.50 Pajamas, \$1.50
Men's Flannellette or Muslin Pajamas, sizes A, B, C and D.
Blue Bird No. 47,679—Tuesday Only.
\$1.95 Shirts, \$1.50
Men's Shirts, in soft and starched cuffs; sizes 14 to 17½.
Blue Bird No. 47,680—Tuesday Only.
\$4.95 Bathrobes, \$4.15
Men's Terry Cloth Bathrobes, dark and light patterns.
Blue Bird No. 47,681—Tuesday Only.
\$8.95 Shirts, \$6.55
Men's high-grade Silk Shirts, in rich patterns.
Blue Bird No. 47,682—Tuesday Only.
98c Shirts, 75c
Men's Work Shirts, in solid colors or stripes.
Blue Bird No. 47,683—Tuesday Only.
\$10.00 Boots, \$7.80
Dorothy Dodd brown, gray or black Kid Boots.
Blue Bird No. 47,684—Tuesday Only.
\$9.00 Boots, \$6.80
Dorothy Dodd tan or mahogany Military Boots.
Blue Bird No. 47,685—Tuesday Only.
\$3.00 Boots, \$5.80
Dorothy Dodd black kid and tan Military Boots, and brown kid with high heels.

Blue Bird No. 47,686—Tuesday Only.
29c Muslin, 24c
36-inch bleached soft finish Muslin.
Blue Bird No. 47,687—Tuesday Only.
39c Tubing, 34c
42-inch bleached Pillow Tubing, heavy quality.
Blue Bird No. 47,688—Tuesday Only.
\$10.00 Trousers, \$7.00
Men's Worsted and Serge Trousers, all sizes.
Blue Bird No. 47,689—Tuesday Only.
\$2.50 Blouses, \$1.75
Middy Blouses, sizes 6 to 20.
Blue Bird No. 47,690—Tuesday Only.
\$5.00 Blouses, \$4.00
Plain and fancy Georgette Silk Blouses, sizes 36 to 46.
Blue Bird No. 47,691—Tuesday Only.
\$25.00 Dresses, \$21.50
Misses' Taffeta, Satin, Serge and Georgette Combination Spring Dresses; sizes 14, 16, 18.
Blue Bird No. 47,692—Tuesday Only.
\$7.50 Dresses, \$5.50
Girls' washable Dresses, sizes 12, 14, 16.
Blue Bird No. 47,693—Tuesday Only.
\$2.20 Sheets, \$1.90
Extra long Sheets 72x99.
Blue Bird No. 47,694—Tuesday Only.
\$2.50 Baskets, 95c
Japanese Baskets, silk lined, hand decorated.
Blue Bird No. 47,695—Tuesday Only.
\$3.75 Peau de Soie, \$2.95
36-inch black Peau de Soie, superb quality.
Blue Bird No. 47,696—Tuesday Only.
\$2.00 Taffeta, \$1.75
36-inch Chiffon Taffeta, all street shades.
Blue Bird No. 47,697—Tuesday Only.
\$2.50 Poplin, \$2.00
40-inch Silk Poplin, all street shades.
Blue Bird No. 47,698—Tuesday Only.
\$2.50 Taffeta, \$1.90
36-inch Silk Taffeta Plaids, rich combinations.

The Sale of Sample Spring Suits

Continues Tomorrow

IT is the direct result of our securing the entire sample lines of two makers of good Suits, and

at **\$25**

You May Choose From a Number of Good Looking Spring Suits.

Daily Arrivals of

New Spring Suits

There Are a Number of Smart Styles Priced at **\$45.00, \$65.00 and up**

EACH one of these garments has been charmingly developed, and the dainty little trimming effects, smartly cut lines and the light weight woolen fabrics, stamp them as true harbingers of the Spring Season.

Unrestricted Choice

Of All Women's and Misses'

Winter Coats
\$22 \$33

Formerly Up to \$69.50 Formerly Up to \$89.50

Every Coat a Truly Wonderful Garment at the Price

The finest Coats, both fur and self trimmed, in a diversity of style and coloring, which should insure a satisfied owner for every one of them.

Wool Velour, Pompom, Broadcloth, Silvertone, Normandy Cloth, Cheviot or Diagonal

All sizes for women and misses up to 42 bust measurement. (Second Floor—Nugents.)

Downstairs—Every Coat Greatly Reduced

Formerly Up to \$15.00

Warm Winter Coats of zibeline, corduroy, silk, velvet and mixtures, lined and semi-lined; with collars and cuffs of plush or keratin; in black, brown or navy.

\$7.95

Formerly Up to \$22.50

Kerseys, plushes, wool velours or heavy woollens, with collars of fur and fur plush; in navy, green, brown, Burgundy, taupe and black; sizes 36 to 44.

\$12.50

Formerly Up to \$29.50

Plushes, Burella, matalamb, lercys and velours, with large fur or plush collars and cuffs; Pekin, Burgundy, taupe, navy, brown and black; sizes 36 to 44.

\$16.50

(Downstairs—Nugents.)

"Choice-of-the-House Sale"

THERE is magic in that phrase—it has already stirred thousands of men to immediate action! If you realize its true meaning—you will be here tomorrow to choose one of these splendid

\$35 and \$40

Suits and Overcoats

\$25

Fur-Trimmed Coats and new Spring goods not included.

The full and true meaning of the "Choice-of-the-House Sale" is this:

You can come into the department and be your own salesman—you can select what, in your mind, is the very best!

YOU NEED a new Suit or Overcoat—why not take advantage of this extraordinary opportunity to save real dollars—and lots of them!

The Suits

Stylish Suits—for men of all tastes and of every build. Materials are worsteds, cashmeres, blue serge, fancy striped serges. Scotch mixtures, fancy chevots, black unfinished worsteds.

The Overcoats

The assortment includes those splendid-looking ulsterettes—plain and belted back coats, made of chevots, cassimeres, meltons, kerseys, tweeds and fancy mixtures.

(Third Floor—Nugents.)

A Skirt Sale

Downstairs

\$3.95

Very exceptional garments at a savings. Good-looking styles, well tailored of

Serge Silks

Faillies Satins

TAILORED models with wide belts; plain, fancy and two piece belts, with slash and novelty pockets; smartly trimmed with large pearl fancy buttons and fringe; tan, blue, black. Decidedly exceptional. Come and see. Sizes to 24 waist measurement.



Music Lovers' Home Concert PHONOGRAPH CLUB

TOMORROW we start this 1919 Club on a plan that entitles everyone to select his own instrument and records exactly as he pleases. Simply pay One Dollar and select your instrument. Then select your records. Then tell us how you want to pay the balance.

and the purchase of a few records puts both the instrument and records in your home. Balance in small weekly or monthly amounts.

\$1

Instruments and Records

With this Club Plan you are not tied down to an expenditure of all your available cash on the instrument. You pay only \$1 on the instrument, the balance you pay into records which you will need.



ONE DOLLAR

is the qualifying fee, and even that is applied on the payment on the instrument. The plan practically makes you the one who stipulates the terms. (Balcony Annex—Nugents.)

ONE OF 138TH KILLED, ONE DIED ON SEPT. 29

A Company Man Killed in Action, B Company Member Reported Dead of Wounds.

Louis Handing, 24 years old, of A Company, 138th (St. Louis) Infantry, son of Mrs. Mary Handing of 1442A Monroe street, is named in today's official casualty list as having been killed in action. An official notification to his mother said the fatality occurred Sept. 29, the fourth day of the Argonne battle. Handing was a mechanic for the Ford Motor Co. He was in the First Regiment since 1915, but did not go to the Mexican border with the regiment.

Sylvester S. Gregory, 20, of B Company, 138th, is named as having died from wounds Sept. 29, in an official report which has reached his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Gregory of 1816 North Twenty-third street, through a St. Louis Red Cross worker who made inquiry about him in a hospital. The only official notification received by the family came about Dec. 1, and said he was wounded severely Sept. 25, the first day of the Argonne battle. A returned Corporal of B Company has informed the parents that he heard a report of Gregory's death. Gregory was a printer.

Names in today's official casualty list, from St. Louis and vicinity are:

Killed in action—Louis Handing, 1905A Blair avenue.

Died of disease—Corp. Harry Froelich, 103 North Fifth street, East St. Louis.

Wounded severely—Lieut. Charles Nelson, 4738 St. Louis avenue; Lieut. Joseph Aldous, 500 State street, Alton; Sergt. Orlah Cooper, 1711A Ohio avenue, East St. Louis; Corp. Joseph Wells, 2254 Washington avenue, Granite City; Charles Hornstein, 6510 McCune avenue.

Wounded, degree undetermined—Corp. William Yordt, 1048 Gimblin street; Jacob A. Weiss, 209 Florence avenue; Edwin H. Press, Belleville.

Wounded slightly—Capt. Frank Hurwitt, 1924 Franklin avenue, Corp. Alexander Walters, 4260 Junia street; Walter Robinson, 323 Walnut street, Frank S. Sowinski, 10,353 Riverview drive; Joseph B. Czerwinski, 1446 North Nineteenth street; Clifford Seifert, 3015 Allen avenue; Albert Michaels, 2419 Williams place; Roscoe Evans, 1417 Russell avenue.

243,935 Casualties Have Been Reported.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Today's official casualty list shows, for the army, 31 killed in action, 15 died from wounds, 59 died of disease, 11 died from accident and other causes, 6 missing in action, 410 wounded severely, 563 wounded, degree undetermined, and 717 wounded slightly, a total of 1812 casualties. Added to yesterday's official army figures and those given previously for the Marine Corps, it makes a total of 243,935 casualties thus far listed, of which 68,204 are deaths.

Names from Missouri and Illinois, except St. Louis and Chicago and adjoining places, are:

Missouri.

Died of disease—Herman L. Crane, Palmyra; Dudley White, Columbia; William Wilson, Butler.

Wounded severely—Lieut. Richard Orlando, Mexico; Corp. Lonnie Beall, La Plata; Corp. Edwin Easwein, Cape Girardeau; Arthur Steink, Overland; Sam White, Osceola; James R. Turner, Camden Point; Roy P. Sumwalt, Columbia; Simol Boesle, Wentzville; Clifford Grigger, Mill Grove; Leonard Johnson, Youngtown.

Wounded, degree undetermined—Corp. Roy Plinn, Kansas City; Corp. John Highfill, Caruthersville; Corp. Neil Jensen, Oregon; Corp. Leroy Wells, New Truxton; Cook Thomas Carey, Columbia; Harrison Husey, Lathrop; George Brandt, Walker; Claud English, Ritchey; William Pauling, St. Joseph; John Reuland, Russellville; John Caughenbaugh, Cartersville; Ralph King, Stockton; Roy Kinder, Anutt; Thomas Williams, Kansas City; Frank Nelson, Kansas City; Jefferson Steele, Trenton; William Wells, Kansas City; August Tappel, Westphalia.

Wounded slightly—Sergt. John Brannan, Chaffee; Sergt. William Robinson, Kansas City; Ray Wilkerson, Schell City; Corp. Herman Kavanaugh, New Hampton; Corp. William Peters, Granby; Mechanic Samuel Fugua, Kansas City; Mechanic Henry Jackson, Mexico; Wilbert Courtney, St. Joseph; Thomas York, Blue Lick; Elgie Rogers, Anderson; William Davis, Springfield; James Dunning, Advance; James Nance, Clarksville; John Edens, Stockton; William Jordan, Piedmont; Miles Jordan, Marquand; Clarence Walker, St. Joseph.

Illinois.

Killed in action—Lieut. George T. Reid, Austin; Henry Lerch, Valmeyer.

Died from accident or other cause—Harold Jacobson, Broadland; Frank J. Rosier, Aurora.

Died of disease—Lieut. William Euard, Kewanee; Sergt. Russell Roberts, Paris; John G. Clawson, New Boston; Wilford R. Knox, Bridgeport.

Missing in action—Axel E. Nelson, Rock Island.

Wounded severely—Sergt. Frank Harvey, Lawrenceville; Sergt. Willard Marshall, New City; Robert E. Gayle, Lincoln; Bugler Willie L. Fort, Toledo; William Menne, Quincy; Henry Wolfeld, Aurora; Henry O. Beavers, Johnson City; Clarence Meek, Cuba; Roy Walker, Shannon; Herland R. Alka, Mount Carmel; John J. Griffin, Hoopston; John R. Scroggin, Gardner; August Williams, Atkinson.

Wounded, degree undetermined—Sergt. Charles W. Ruckel, Springfield; Corp. James R. Hudson, Springfield; Corp. John Vincer, Rockford; William Cutting, Rockford.

TWO ST. LOUISANS WHO MADE SUPREME SACRIFICE



LOUIS HANDING



SYLVESTER GREGORY

BRINGING HOME OF SAILOR DEAD TO BE STARTED SOON

Wishes of Relatives to Be Respected in Matter of Interment, Navy Department Announces.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Plans for bringing home the bodies of all officers, sailors and marines now buried on foreign soil, are being worked out by the Navy Department, and the actual work will be undertaken within the next few months. The wishes of relatives, however, will govern not only as to the return of the bodies, but also as to their final disposition. Those brought home either will be sent forward for private interment, or buried in Arlington or some other national cemetery as the relatives may decide.

The department's statement said that where bodies were brought home for burial in national cemeteries full military honors would be accorded and that where private interment was desired the navy would prepay all expenses up to delivery of the casket to relatives and that the War Risk Insurance Bureau of the Treasury would refund actual burial expenses not exceeding \$100 in each case upon presentation of the claims.

Relative of the dead of the navy and of the naval reserve are requested to write the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery as to their wishes and those of the dead of the Marine Corps are invited to communicate with the commandant of the corps.

ARMY SERGEANT IN AUTO IS KILLED NEAR BELLEVILLE

Machine Hits Side of Bridge Spanning Creek in Early Morning.

Sergt. Oliver H. Gautsche, 24 years old, an aviation mechanic at Scott Field, son of Gottfried Gautsche, 4987 Alcott avenue, was killed about 4 a. m. yesterday when his automobile struck the side of a bridge over a creek on the Carle road, about three-fourths of a mile east of Belleville, and was overturned. He was pinned beneath the car.

He was returning to Scott Field, about eight miles east of Belleville, after having escorted Miss Mildred Butler of 1103 Scheel street home from the annual masquerade ball of the Belleville Liederkreis Society. The body was found at 3 a. m. by several small boys who were on their way to Sunday school.

Miss Butler said that she had known Gautsche about a year. He had been a friend of her father, Stephen A. Butler Jr., who was recently discharged from the Tank Corps.

Arrangements are being made for a military funeral. It was said at Scott Field that an airplane would fly to St. Louis as an escort.

TEUTONIC TRADE INVASION OF SWITZERLAND CONTINUES

German Hope Through This Portal to Reopen Former Trade Relations With the Allies.

By the Associated Press. GENEVA, Feb. 10.—The economic invasion of Switzerland by the Central Powers, who through this portal hope to reopen their former commercial relations with the allies, continues on a larger scale. The New Zurich Gazette says that from the first day of May to the end of July, 1918, 262 new foreign industrial and commercial enterprises were founded in Zurich, alone, while during the first half of the same year the number of foreign firms in Zurich, the majority of them German, Austrian and Hungarian, amounted to 337. There were no English or American firms and only five French.

It is easy for the Austria Germans to evade the Swiss commercial laws by choosing dummies from among their 300,000 compatriots residing in Switzerland before the war, as heads of the firms.

GERMANS RELEASE ALTON FLYER

Lieut. Clarence M. Young Reported Out of Prison Camp.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Information regarding Americans held prisoners of war made public last night by the War Department included the following reported to have been released from German

prison camps and to have returned to France: James V. Clayton, St. Joseph, Mo.; Harry R. Davis, Elmhurst, Ill.; Daniel Chambers, Kansas City, Mo.; John H. Hummel, Poplar Bluff, Mo.; Charles Egner, Kansas City, Mo.; Raymond H. Brady, Festus, Mo.; Lieut. Clarence M. Young, aviator, Alton, Ill., is reported to have been released from Schloss Zeel, Lower Austria, and to have returned to Rome.

CRUSADE AGAINST BOOTLEGGERS

A revival of the police crusade against bootleggers around Union Station was started today at the request of S. G. Fisher, in charge of the Y. M. C. A. hut near.

Fisher reported yesterday that soldiers and sailors passing through St. Louis in the demobilization process were being made easy prey for the liquor peddlers and many of them signed to stamp out the practice.

"Father John's Medicine Is Good for the Children's Coughs and Colds"

A Mother's Grateful Praise of This Old Fashioned Family Remedy.

In a recent letter the mother of these four healthy children says: "I have been using Father John's Medicine for the last five years and find it an excellent medicine for the children's coughs and colds. If any of my four children have a cold or cough I immediately give them Father John's Medicine and within a few days they are relieved. I have recommended Father John's to many of my friends and I would not be without it. (Signed) Mrs. E. Mehlbold, 201 Elm St., Astoria, L. I."

A safe family medicine because it contains no alcohol or dangerous drugs but is all pure and wholesome nourishment.

—ADV.

We Give Eagle Stamps

ST. LOUIS BARGAIN CENTER
Penny and Gentles
BROADWAY & MORGAN ST.

Linen Sale

25c Bleached Muslin
Mostly yard wide; mill remnants; soiled and mused; sale price, yard..... 11c

25c Muslin
Fine unbleached Sea Island Cotton Muslin that bleaches quickly..... 15c

40c Bath Towels
Heavy bleached, hemmed; double thread; size 20x29c; 40c slight second..... 29c

59c Table Damask
60 in. wide; bleached, mercerized; mill remnants; yard of table length; yard..... 45c

29c FLANNELETTE
Cream color twilled Flannelette with polka dots; neat dainty patterns; 300 yards; until sold..... 15c

39c Madras
Yard wide; fine crepe weave; light stripes in attractive stripe pattern; remnants; many to match..... 25c

Damaged Oilcloth
45 inch wide; special sale price..... 10c

59c Oilcloth
"Genuine Santitas" Oilcloth; in table patterns; for bathrooms or table use; extra heavy; yard..... 39c

Shelf Oilcloth
Heavy duty; special for Tuesday..... 2 1/2c

Silk Dresses

\$12 Value \$7.98
at.....

Charming new dresses for women and misses; made in the latest styles; new colors and sleeve effects; neatly trimmed in buttons and braid; have Georgette sleeves; colors Copen, plum, navy and gray.

Girls' Smocks, \$1.98

A grand assortment of smocks, in all shades and all sizes.

\$1.95 French Serges

42 inches wide; all pure wool; fine twill soft finish; French serges for Spring dresses; navy blue, yard..... \$1.39

\$2 to \$2.50 Taffeta Silk

Yard wide; very fine quality in all the best leading Spring shades; as rose, delft, navy blue, gendarme, helio, taupe, dark or light navy and champagne..... \$1.69

Women's and Children's Hose

Sample Hosiery; various weights and kinds; black, white and colors; such as formerly sold for 25c and 30c; special for Tuesday, per pair..... 19c

\$1.00 Union Suits
Women's ribbed Union Suits; Summer weight; low neck, sleeve less; at..... 50c

\$1.00 Silk Hose
White ribbed Silk Hose for the little toes; special, per pair..... 59c

\$3 Low Shoes

Sizes 2 1/2 to 4 1/2
If you wear a small size you can save 1/2 on Low Shoes tomorrow; pump and strap styles; high and low heels; cheaper than house slippers; just for Tuesday..... \$1.49

\$1 Neponset

100% waterproof floorcovering; Neponset brand; guaranteed to wear as long as any cork linoleum; patterns are baked on a high-grade covering at the factory; the price of cork linoleum; square yard..... 69c

50c Neponset Rug Border; made 100% waterproof; linoleum; patterns are baked on a high-grade covering at the factory; the price of cork linoleum; square yard..... 39c

\$9.00 FELT MATTESSES
Genuine all-felt Mattresses; covered with quality ticking; all sizes; special, only \$7.00 Combination Felt Mattress; all sizes; special..... \$5.98

Curtains, Scrims, Marquisettes, Voiles and Nets, 1/3 Off

30c Scrims
And All-over Nets, white and ecru, plain and figured borders, yard..... 19c

40c Marquisette
Etaines and Voiles; openwork borders; white or ecru; 400 yards; yard..... 29c

CONSTIPATION

is formulating and compounding Munyon's Paw Paw Laxative Pills. Prof. Munyon disregarded expense and used a formula containing ingredients omitted from other laxatives on account of their high cost, but whose superior results the most eminent physicians acknowledge.

MUNYON'S PAW PAW PILLS are sold by all druggists. All druggists, 10c.

NEURALGIA

For quick results rub the Forehead and Temples with

VICKS VAPORUB

NEW PRICES—30c, 60c, \$1.00

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SOCIETY, MUSIC AND THE MOVIES

MANY WOMEN IN NEAR EAST RELIEF DRIVE

Prominent St. Louisans Begin a Week's Campaign in Aid of Armenians and Syrians.

MANY prominent women will devote most of their time to the campaign, which started today and will continue until next Monday. The relief drive is for the Armenians and Syrians and others who have been persecuted by the Turks. The campaign is under the auspices of the American Committee for the Near East. The women's division of this committee, which Mrs. A. E. Reton is chairman, has four vice chairmen, Mrs. F. Higgins, president of the ward, and Mrs. J. H. Brown, president of the Liberty Loan campaign. The committee has resolved itself into a permanent association; Mrs. Theodore Higgins, president of the ward, will represent the Jewish organization in this campaign as she did that of the Missouri Council of Defense, and Mrs. Louis Brooks, president of the War Board of Religious Organizations.

Besides the active chairman and vice chairmen are two honorary chairmen, Mrs. Philip N. Moore, who is a member of the Executive Committee for Eastern Missouri of the American Committee for Relief in the Near East, and Mrs. B. F. Bush, who is a member of the General Committee of the same national body. The women's division has a speaking bureau, with Mrs. Harry Sprague, chairman, and an Executive Committee composed of Mrs. George A. Reton and Mrs. J. R. Wilkinson and ward chairmen, who are: Mrs. J. H. Schutte, J. P. Ludwig, John Thomas, Louis Brooks, J. S. Payne, L. O'Halloran, E. Nirk, L. L. Renwick, E. M. Korzenborfer, W. P. George, A. Held, A. S. Gill, E. F. Blume, John H. Sommerich, Adler, J. A. Mowrey, A. C. C. W. Swingley, J. Nugent, Harry Murray, Harry Hoffman, H. H. Smith, Misses Grace Adams, Grace Bohner and Genevieve Berg. "Have a Life" is the slogan adopted by the local drive, and \$450,000 is the local quota of \$300,000,000 by the American Committee for Relief in the Near East, the object of which is to feed and clothe victims, many of whom once in comfortable circumstances, they once more become self-sustaining.

Social Items

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. D. Meier have a residence on the Kent road in St. Louis County and expect to have immediate possession of it. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Pinnell, who have recently returned to St. Louis, after Pinnell's release from the service, are stopping temporarily at Mrs. Pinnell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Johnson of 5032 West-10th place, which will occupy the apartment which Mr. and Mrs. Meier had at 419 Washington boulevard.

Mrs. Norman Addis Jones was yesterday Miss Edna Lortz, the wedding having taken place at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lortz of 5535 Lindell.

HOW TO OPEN A SAVINGS ACCOUNT



It is a very simple matter to open a savings account at the Mercantile, and only \$1 is required to make a start.

All that is necessary is to go to the Savings Department, where your name will be taken and you will sign a signature card. Your signature on this card will identify you in your future transactions with us.

With your first deposit you will receive a savings pass book, in which your name and all future deposits or withdrawals will be entered.

\$1 Starts a Savings Account With Us.

Mercantile Trust Company
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EIGHTH AND LOCUST - TO ST. CHARLES

SATURDAY BRIDE WHO IS ON HER HONEYMOON



Mrs. Newman Addis Jones

boulevard. After a wedding journey the couple will reside temporarily with the bride's parents until they select a residence.

Miss Rosalind Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund A. Thomas of 4434 Westminister place, will depart tomorrow for a several weeks' visit in the East. She will go to Vassar to see her sister, Miss Beatrice L. Thomas, and will also visit in Bound Brook, N. J., and Wellesley Hills, Mass.

Mrs. Robert Hussey of 5443 Delmar boulevard departed yesterday for New York City to join Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Hussey of 4 North King's highway, who are already there, and where they will spend a fortnight.

Miss Bess Whitmarsh of Texarkana, Ark., arrived today to be the guest of Miss Marion Scott Winstead of 4278 Maryland Avenue. Miss Whitmarsh and Miss Winstead were both members of the graduating class at Wellesley College last June. A number of informal affairs have been arranged for Miss Whitmarsh during her stay.

Mrs. Otto Fisher Ball of 5337 Cabanne avenue returned Friday from a fortnight's visit in Chicago where she went to join Dr. Ball who has been there for several weeks.

Mrs. Ernest Kroeger of 4483 McPherson avenue returned Saturday from a visit to some of the principal cities of Texas in the interest of the Junior Red Cross.

Mrs. Guy Lackland of Mexico, Mo., is the guest of Mrs. W. H. Bronough of 6151 Westminister place.

Miss Charlotte Taussig of 3501 Lafayette avenue returned last week from a week's visit in Washington, D. C.

The Marine Corps League will meet tomorrow afternoon at the Planters Hotel at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. William A. Stickney, chairman of the Comforts Committee of the Navy League, urges all members to be present at a meeting to be held tomorrow evening at 10:30 o'clock at the Wednesday Club.

"HEART OF HUMANITY" A FILM MASTERPIECE

Compares Favorably With Griffith Plays and Has Great Battle Scenes.

Once in a while, as the motion picture industry unfolds its gigantic film in the thousands of its theaters over the country, there flashes on the screen a story so transcending that the millions of feet that have gone before seem wasteful.

Such a story was "The Birth of a Nation," great in conception, masterfully produced. Such in lesser degree have been others that followed that pattern.

"Such is 'The Heart of Humanity,' which opened in St. Louis yesterday at the West End Lyric and the Royal.

Comparisons usually are offensive, but "The Heart of Humanity" falls easily into comparison with "The Birth of a Nation," because of similarity of scenes. In the photography, magnitude of production and the excellent work of principals, the comparison is in no way unfavorable to the present film.

"The Birth of a Nation" had a wider scope and was a longer film. But "The Heart of Humanity" surpasses in battle scenes as did the battles of this recently closed war surpassed those of the Civil War.

In the meantime Porter brushes up on his manners and quite elegant. Fate throws him and his former wife together again. She declines well, that would be giving the

The story starts in a little Canadian town in which there is a widow and her five sons. On the day of the marriage of the eldest son to Nanette, niece of the parish priest, the news of the war comes. The five sons, including the bridegroom, respond. Later the bride goes to be a Red Cross nurse.

The film cut backs to the Canadian town only at intervals to show the mother as she gets the news that her sons, one by one, are falling. The rest is war—war more horrible by German cruelty to fathers, mothers and their little children.

The battle scenes are stupendous. There is hand to hand and hand grenades and airplanes by the dozen and one in particular which falls in flames carrying the hero, and machine gun fire that rips the sand bags on the fronts of the trenches and tanks and innumerable "over-the-top" hand-to-hand bayonet fighting barages, whose explosions fire hundreds of feet in the air, street fighting in the bombarded town—and scenes of German cruelty.

Whatever feeling of leniency for the Germans one carries to "The Heart of Humanity" is quickly destroyed when the acts of which much can be read are enacted before the eye. One scene shows the bleeding of a slightly wounded German for water and his brutal attack on the Red Cross nurse who comes to aid him. He is killed by a Red Cross dog.

The supreme moment of acting of Dorothy Phillips as the nurse comes in her fight against the German officer who strips her Red Cross uniform from her. The reason of the nurse snaps and she becomes mad. Her work of those mad moments give her place in upper stardom.

The mother of the picture is symbolic of World Motherhood. The first son's fall brings her grief, which is changed to glory when the second son dies. The third's death makes her more sublime and when the fourth is killed, she stands transfixed, the personification of the spirit of the mothers who gave. Margaret Mann portrays the mother excellently.

The production is by Allen Holubar, released by Jewel Productions (Inc.). It will remain at the West End Lyric and Royal for one week.

CAPACITY AUDIENCE AT POPULAR CONCERT

Roosevelt Memorial and Solo Harpist Are Attractions.

The Odeon was filled for the Symphony Orchestra's popular concert yesterday afternoon and several hundred late-comers were turned away. Special exercises as part of the Roosevelt memorial and the appearance of Mrs. Ida Delebonne, only woman member of the orchestra, which accounted for the large attendance.

The memorial was fittingly observed with a eulogy of Roosevelt by the Rev. Dr. W. C. Bittling of the Second Baptist Church, after which the Chopin Funeral March was played in impressive style.

Mrs. Delebonne, the orchestra's harpist made a most pleasing impression in her unaccompanied numbers. Her programmed offering was a reverie by John Thomas entitled "Autumn." As an encore she played Godefred's Impromptu Melodique, a sparkling little gem that called for more virtuosity than her major number.

Another feature was the first "Pop" concert presentation of Felix Borowski's "The Paintings," recently played here for the first time at a pair of regular Symphony concerts. On the program also were Thomas' overture to "Raymond," Schubert's "Valse Triste," Liszt's Egyptian Ballet suite and Waldteufel's "Skaters' Waltz."

THIS FILM IS A LESSON FOR DISCONTENTED WIVES

Many an Honest Heart Beats Under a Green Onion

Should a woman leave her husband because he eats onions? The question is answered at the New Grand Central this week in a satirical film entitled "Don't Change Your Husband," in which the audience is given a most intimate view into the domestic life of a millionaire.

"Jim" Porter, a glue manufacturer, has been so busy making money that he has forgotten that his wife married him for something else. He becomes careless, he buries himself in the newspapers and denies his better half the companionship she craves. He rests his feet on the upholstered furniture, removes his necktie and opens his collar and flecks cigar ashes on the rug.

He even forgets the date of his wedding anniversary. But his worst fault is his fondness for green onions.

Along comes Schuyler Van Stuphen with his "company manners" and flattering phrases. Mrs. Porter makes comparisons and decides she wants another husband. She goes to Reno. Her second marriage proves a failure from the beginning. Van Stuphen does not eat onions, but he makes his drinks in such an immoral manner that the effect is much worse than onions. He also develops a habit of smoking cigarettes in bed and instead of spending his spare time reading newspapers he attends gay parties and gambles away money obtained by pawning his wife's diamonds.

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MME. SCHUMANN-HEINK'S SON IN THE GERMAN NAVY IS DEAD

August Schumann Was Eldest Child of Singer Who Has 4 Sons in U. S. Service.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 10.—Mme. Ernestine Schumann-Heink, the prima donna, was informed in a letter received by her here yesterday of the death of her eldest son, August Schumann, who died two months ago from wounds received in the German naval service. The letter, which was dated "Copenhagen, Denmark, Dec. 16, 1918," had signed "Kathe," and was the first word the prima donna had received of her son since he became an officer in the German navy. It contained no mention of the manner of her son's death except to say it was "in performance of his duty." Mme. Schumann-Heink has four sons in the American service. "All my life I have worked for my children," the prima donna said, "and I will be brave. It is for them."

The letter, she said, was from her daughter-in-law. The last time she heard from her son the singer added, he was serving on board a submarine. "I had not been in communication with my son or his family for many months," Mme. Schumann-Heink said. "I suppose he sent his wife and two children to Copenhagen for safety. Now I am going to appeal to the Red Cross to try to locate them, so I can bring them to America."

"I share the golden star with millions of mothers, and a mother of soldiers must be brave. I have been singing for the soldiers and cheering them up. Now that my time has come to suffer, I shall think of them and what they went out to do. We must be an example—we mothers."

Prior to receiving the news of her son's death, Mme. Schumann-Heink canceled her engagement to sing with the Symphony Orchestra at the concert of Feb. 21 and 22, on the

ground that her voice had become fatigued from much singing at cantonments.

This action, it is reported, rescued the orchestra management from a certain embarrassment. Her specialty has been Wagnerian opera, but it is not yet considered advisable to present numbers with German text. They might have been given in translation, save that the diva's English enunciation leaves something to be desired. Negotiations are under way for the engagement of Miss Sophie Braslau, American contralto, to take her place.

WEDDING NETS BRIDE \$1202

Numerous Pieces of Jewelry for Woman in Greek Church Ceremony.

A Greek wedding celebration at Croatan Hall, Fourteenth street and Chouteau avenue, yesterday yielded the bride, who was Miss Marie Mandruska of Ziegler, Ill., \$1202, three diamond rings, a pearl necklace and a pair of diamond ear studs. These were put into a plate which was passed by the best man during the wedding feast, in accordance with Grecian marriage custom.

The bride gave each man guest a cigar and each woman a rose. The bridegroom is John Lush, a grocer at Ziegler. The bridal party departed to St. Louis in 12 automobiles and the ceremony was held in the Greek Orthodox Church here. The celebration at Croatan Hall lasted until early this morning.

125 Bushels of Dollars for India.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—More than 125 bushels of silver dollars were shipped today from the Treasury vaults to the Philadelphia mint to be melted into bullion for export to India. This was one of the shipments which have taken \$50,000,000 from the vaults in recent months to be melted down and exported to the allies.

17 COMMUNITY CENTER CLASSES TO BE CONDUCTED THIS WEEK

They Will Be in Charge of Home Demonstration Agents of U. S. Agriculture Department.

There will be 17 community center classes this week, under the direction of the Community Service Organization, 995 Locust street. Classes in making over clothing, dyeing materials, millinery, child feeding and child care and buying and cooking food, will be conducted by the home demonstration agents of the United States Department of Agriculture, who are co-operating with the former ward and precinct members of the Food Administration, now united as the Community Service Organization. The schedule of classes is as follows:

Monday—Gravola School, clothing class, 3 p. m.; Cabanne Library, food class, 1:30 p. m.; clothing class, 3 p. m.

Tuesday—Divoll Library, food class, 2:30 p. m.; Baden School, food and clothing class, 2:30 p. m.; Patriotic League, 411 North Seventh street, clothing class, 7:30 p. m.; Greeley Memorial Church, food class, 7:30 p. m.

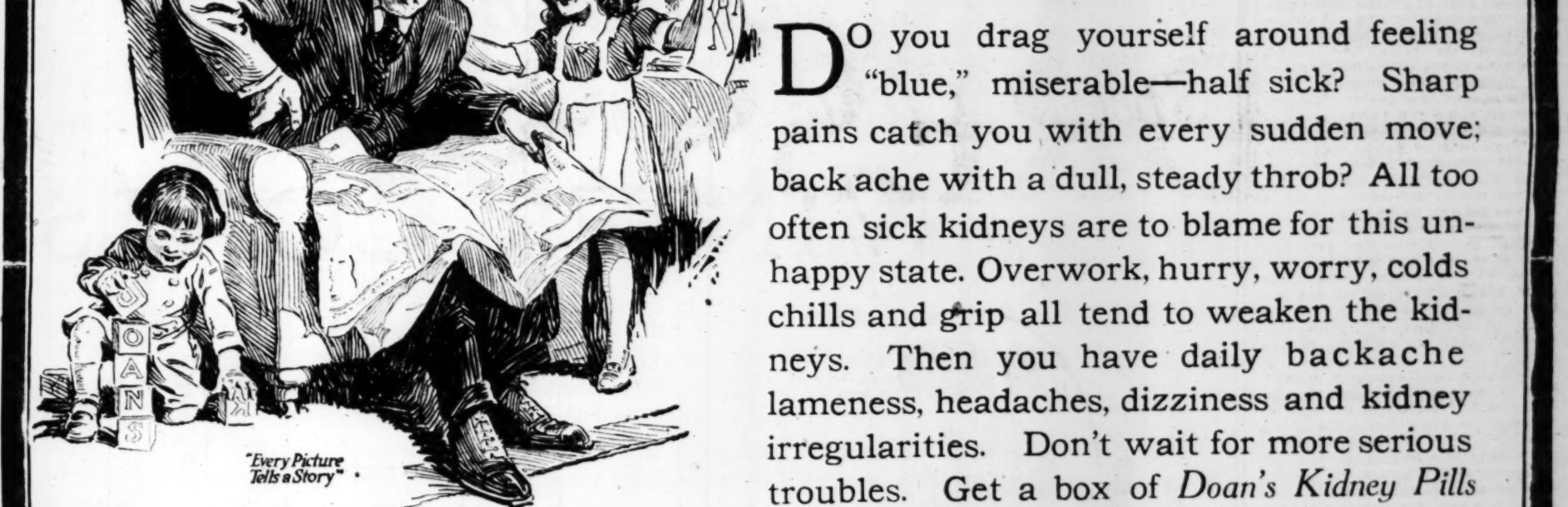
Wednesday—Northminster Presbyterian Church, child welfare class, 1:30 p. m.; Bryan Hall School, clothing class, 3 p. m.; Church of Our Redeemer, food class, 7:30 p. m.

Thursday—Mark Twain School, clothing class, 3 p. m.; Mullany Playground, food and clothing class, 8 p. m.; Central High School, food class, 7:30 p. m.

Friday—Dewey School, clothing class, 2 p. m.; Immanuel Congregation Church, Hancock avenue, clothing class, 2 p. m.; Cabanne Library, child welfare class, 2:30 p. m.; Holy Cross House, clothing class, 2 p. m.

There are a dozen Master Cleaners in St. Louis, but only one Star. They were wise men who followed the Star Dyeing and Cleaning Co. Master Dyers and Cleaners. Three stores, eight phones—Adv.

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Do you drag yourself around feeling "blue," miserable—half sick? Sharp pains catch you with every sudden move; back ache with a dull, steady throb? All too often sick kidneys are to blame for this unhappy state. Overwork, hurry, worry, colds, chills and grip all tend to weaken the kidneys. Then you have daily backache, lameness, headaches, dizziness and kidney irregularities. Don't wait for more serious troubles. Get a box of Doan's Kidney Pills today.

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<p>Lincoln Avenue</p> <p>Mrs. John B. Zaron, 5553 Lincoln Av., says: "Two years ago I was in a miserable condition with my kidneys. My back was so weak and lame I could hardly get up when I was down. My bladder was also weak and caused me a lot of trouble and my kidneys didn't act right at all. I suffered from severe attacks of dizziness and awful headaches, was nervous and run down, too, until I started to take Doan's Kidney Pills. One box of Doan's made me feel like a different person and before long rid me entirely of my trouble."</p>	<p>Cherokee Street</p> <p>John M. Walker, 2102A Cherokee St., says: "Just recently I suffered from an attack of lumbago. I was in misery when I went to lift anything, as my back would give out on me. I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised, and purchased some. I was fixed up in fine shape and have never had anything wrong with my kidneys since. I have often advised others to use Doan's."</p>	<p>Minnesota Avenue</p> <p>Mrs. E. Uebinger, 7316 Minnesota Av., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills off and on for the past five years and have always found them beneficial. I suffered a great deal from kidney and bladder trouble. My kidneys would act irregularly and I had pains in my bladder. My back ached continually and my feet and ankles swelled so I couldn't put on my shoes. As soon as I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills, which I got at Brown's Drug Store, I was relieved. I gladly recommend Doan's."</p>
<p>Michigan Avenue</p> <p>Chas. C. Grosse, 712 Michigan Av., says: "We used Doan's Kidney Pills in our home for several years and they have always brought relief to anyone suffering from kidney disorder. I first used Doan's when I was down and out with kidney trouble. I was so bad I could hardly turn over in bed, owing to the intense pains through my back and kidneys. I also suffered from lumbago and it was very painful, especially in my lower limbs. As soon as I began using Doan's Kidney Pills I got relief and they have never failed to ward off any symptoms when I have used them since."</p>	<p>N. Vandeventer Avenue</p> <p>Mrs. C. Combs, 1819 N. Vandeventer Av., says: "I use a few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills occasionally when I feel any symptoms of kidney disorder or my back starts aching, and they are sure to relieve me. When I began using Doan's Kidney Pills the first time I was so bad off with my back I couldn't get up after sitting down. Flashes of light would appear before my eyes. I would also have dizzy spells and pains in the back of my neck, which extended up into my head. As soon as I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills, I was relieved, and I have relied upon this medicine ever since."</p>	<p>Easton Avenue</p> <p>August W. Kraft, 4233 Easton Av., says: "I am always ready to say a good word for Doan's Kidney Pills. I am a sufferer from kidney trouble. I was in bad shape a month ago, owing to this complaint. My back was painful and I had to lay off work for a week. I had been serving in the Philippines in the U. S. Army bringing on my trouble. My bladder was affected. I also suffered from rheumatic pains, which settled in my lower limbs, and in rainy weather I could hardly walk. I used about two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills and was cured. I have felt fine in every way since."</p>

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IMPRESSIVE SCENE IN U. S. CAPITOL IN ROOSEVELT'S HONOR

Members of Both Houses and
the Cabinet, With Supreme
Court Justices, Pay Trib-
ute to Former President.

MARSHALL AND CLARK
BOTH IN THE CHAIR

Former President Taft in
Prominent Seat in Center
Aisle—Lodge in Address
Relates Anecdotes.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—In solemn services within the House chamber yesterday the nation's leaders and representatives of foreign governments paid tribute to the memory of Theodore Roosevelt. Members of Congress, Supreme Court Justices, members of the Cabinet, Army and Navy officers, and diplomats of many nations heard Senator Lodge of Massachusetts praise Roosevelt as a statesman and a man.

Simultaneous with the Capitol services, memorial exercises for the former President were held in various cities over the country and in American army camps at home and overseas.

An Impressive Gathering.
Virtually all members of the Senate and House attended the joint session. Vice President Marshall and Speaker Clark presided jointly, while seated before them were Chief Justice White and the associated justices of the Supreme Court in their somber robes, members of the Cabinet, representatives of the diplomatic corps, Gen. March, Chief of Staff, and other Army and Navy officers in full uniform.

Former President Taft occupied a prominent seat on the center aisle and was warmly applauded as he was escorted into the chamber. Senator Lodge's address was interrupted occasionally by applause and at times by quiet laughter when he related anecdotes of Col. Roosevelt's life. Marked applause greeted his statement that of all the nations on earth, Germany alone did not mourn the former President's death because she knew his voice had rallied Americans to the battle for freedom.

Senator Lodge's Speech.
"We cannot approach Theodore Roosevelt along the beaten paths of eulogy or satisfy ourselves with the empty civilities of commonplace funeral tributes," said Senator Lodge, "for he did not make his life journey over main-traveled roads. Nor was he ever commonplace. Cold and pompous formalities were unsuited to him who was devoid of affectation, who was never self-conscious, and to whom posturing to draw the public gaze seemed not only repellent but vulgar. In his spirit of devotion to truth's simplicity, I shall try to speak of him today."

Referring to Roosevelt's inheritance of comparative wealth, Senator Lodge said: "He lacked the spur of necessity to prick the sides of his intent. * * * Theodore Roosevelt put behind him temptation to a life of sports and pleasure, to lettered ease, to an amateur's career in one of the fine arts, perhaps to a money-making business."

"How he refused to tread the pleasant paths that opened to him on all sides and took the instant way which led over the rough roads of toil and action, his life discloses." Referring to Roosevelt's fight for preparedness before the United States entered the world war, Senator Lodge said:

"He would have had us protest and take action at the very beginning in 1914 when Belgium was invaded. He would have had us go to war when the murders of the Lusitania were perpetrated. He tried to stir the soul and rouse the spirit of the American people, and despite every obstacle he did awaken them, so that when the hour came, in April, 1917, a large proportion of the American people were even then ready in spirit and in hope."

Harsh Word From Germany.
"How telling his work has been was proved by the confession of his country's enemies, for when he died, the only discordant note, the only harsh words, came from the German press. Germany knew whose voice it was that had more powerfully than any other called Americans to the battle in behalf of freedom and civilization."

Because he was not permitted to go to Europe at the head of a body of soldiers, said Lodge, Roosevelt "was denied the reward which he would have ranked above all others, the great prize of death in battle." "He lived to see 'right prevail,'" continued the Senator. "He lived to see civilization triumph over organized barbarism, and there was great joy in his heart. In all his last days the thoughts which filled his mind were to secure a peace which should render Germany forever harmless and advance the cause of ordered freedom in every land and among every race. This occupied him to the exclusion of everything else except what he called and what he liked to call Americanism."

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His country was the ruling, masterful nation of his life, from the beginning even to the end.

Was Great Patriot.
"What a man was is ever more important than what he did. Theodore Roosevelt always believed that character was of greater worth and moment than anything else. He possessed abilities of the first order, which he was disposed to understate because he set so much greater store upon the moral qualities which we bring together under the single word 'character.'"

Appraising Theodore Roosevelt's abilities, Lodge said in part:

"He had a powerful, well-trained, everactive mind. He thought clearly, independently, and with originality and imagination. These great gifts were sustained by an extraordinary power of acquisition, joined to a greater quickness of apprehension, a greater swiftness in seizing upon the essence of a question, than I have ever happened to see in any other man."

"He had a capacity for concentration which enabled him to read with remarkable rapidity anything which he took up."

"He knew and held details always of this command, but he was never mastered by them. He never failed to see the forest on account of the trees or the city on account of the houses."

Full of Force and Vigor.
"In speaking as in writing, he was always full of force and vigor."

"He had a large capacity for administration, clearness of vision, promptness in decision, and a thorough apprehension of what constituted efficient organization."

"The first requisite of leadership is to lead, and that ability Theodore Roosevelt possessed in full measure. His instinct was always to say, 'Come, rather than Go' and he had the talent of command."

"He also had the rare gift of arresting attention sharply and suddenly, a very precious attribute."

"Roosevelt was always advancing, always struggling to make things better, to carry some much-needed reform, and help humanity to a larger chance, to a fairer condition, to a happier life. Moreover, he looked always for an ethical question. He was at his best when he was fighting the battle of right against wrong."

"The criticism most commonly made was that he was impulsive and impetuous, that he acted without thinking. He would have been the last to claim infallibility. His head did not turn when fame came to him."

His Sense of Humor.
"No man ever had a more abundant sense of humor—joyous, irrepressible humor—and it never deserted him," said the Senator. "Even at the most serious and even perilous moments, if there was a gleam of humor anywhere, he saw it and rejoiced and helped himself with it over the rough places. He loved fun, loved to joke and chaff, and what is more uncommon, greatly enjoyed being chaffed himself. Even more generally effective than his humor was the universal knowledge that

and choruses of admiration sounded in his ears, for he was neither vain nor credulous. He knew that he made mistakes and never hesitated to admit them to be mistakes, and to correct them or put them behind him when satisfied they were such that he never wasted time in mourning, explaining or vainly regretting them. It is also true that the middle way did not attract him. He was apt to go far, both in praise and censure, although nobody could analyze qualities and balance them justly in judging men better than he."

Was Always Frank.
"He spoke out with the most unrestrained frankness at all times and in all companies."

"When he had reached his conclusion he acted quickly and drove hard at his object and this it was, probably, which gave an impression that he acted sometimes 'hastily and thoughtlessly,' which was a complete misapprehension of the man. His action was emphatic, but emphasis implies reflection, not thoughtlessness."

"He had no hostility to a man because he had succeeded in business or because he had accumulated a fortune. He had but one standard, one test, and that was whether a man, rich or poor, was an honest man, a good citizen and a good American."

"Theodore Roosevelt had the largest personal following ever attained by any man in our history. By personal following is meant here that which supports and sustains and goes with a man simply because he is himself, a following which does not care whether their leader and chief is in office or out of office, which is with him and behind him because they, one and all, believe in him and love him and are ready to stand by him for the sole and simple reason that they have perfect faith that he will lead them where they wish and where they ought to go."

Roosevelt's courage and sense of humor drew many to him, Senator Lodge observed.

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Roosevelt had no secrets from the American people."

Another quality, "homely, generous humanity," was emphasized by Senator Lodge.

"He never by any chance bored the American people," he said. "They might laugh at him or laugh with him, they might like what he said, they might agree with him or disagree with him, but they were never weary of him and he never failed to interest them. He was never heavy, laborious or dull."

"No man ever prized sentiment or hated sentimentality more than he."

"He preached unceasingly the familiar moral, which lies at the bottom of both family and public life."

Concluding, Senator Lodge said: "Theodore Roosevelt's ideal of public service was to be found in his life, and as his life drew to its close he had to meet his ideal of sacrifice face to face. All his sons went from him to the war and one was killed upon the field of honor."

"This is not the place to speak of his private life, but within that sacred circle no man was ever more fortunate in the utter devotion of a noble wife and the passionate love of his children. The absolute purity and beauty of his family life tell us why the principle and interest which

Services Held in Hall of House at Jefferson City.

By the Associated Press.
JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 10.—Memorial services for Theodore Roosevelt were held in the hall of the House of Representatives yesterday afternoon, the program having been arranged by a joint committee of the Senate and House. Arthur N. Hyde of Trenton, Mo., a personal friend of Col. Roosevelt, was the principal speaker. Addresses also were made by Senator Howard Gray of Jasper County and Representative Frank H. Harris of Phelps County. The benediction was offered by the Rev. E. E. McQuie, chaplain of the Senate.

Greatest Man in Republican Party Since Lincoln, Says McAdoo.

By the Associated Press.
SANTA BARBARA, Cal., Feb. 10.—"Of all the great men in Republican party has produced since the

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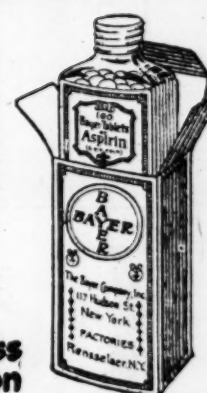
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Still a few of those nice, soft, warm Winter Coats to clear out and we want to make short work of it. So we've assembled about 200 from our \$19.95 to \$29.50 lines for Tuesday's special selling, at

\$8

Values to \$29.50

Velours—Pompoms,
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There you have the three most desirable fabrics for style, comfort and service. And they are in the most wanted colors. A few have fur collars. There are a few belted sport models in the lot. Probably 20 styles in all. Sizes for misses and women.

Girls' New Frocks
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The Junior and Miss will be delighted with these Frocks. They are made of figured voiles, chambrays and ginghams, in plaids and light pink and blue checks. 12 styles, all new, crisp, just from the manufacturer's pressing tables.

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FRESH BAKED CAKES
GINGER SNAPS 2 for 25c
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COCOA TAFFY BARS
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COFFEE
FRENCH BRAND 32c
COCOA 10c
CAMPBELL'S Beans 2 Cans 25c

SOUP KRAUT MILK
MIXED 10c
TOMATOES 11c
SWEET POTATOES 21c
LIMA BEANS 14c

CALIF. APRICOTS
PINEAPPLE 36c
PEACHES 34c
PET BRAND 29c

OLEO
Troco 34c
CRISCO 30c
Rolled Oats 4c

BACKBONES
P Hearts 12c
LIVER 5c
I FEET 8c
G Snouts 12c

LINK SAUSAGE
SHOULDERS 27c
MACARONI OR SPAGHETTI 10c

NOODLES
CHEESE 39c
BOTTLED PICKLES 15c
BEANS 15c

PRUNES
EGGS 46c
KARO 12c
BUTTER 53c

SOAP
SCOURER 10c
SOAP FLAKES 9c
TOILET PAPER 3 for 10c

WASHBOARDS
Yellow Split Peas 3 for 25c
Alaska 3 for 10c
Scotch Cure 3 for 10c

SHRIMP
PURE 25c
LARD 25c
KROGER'S 21c

DOMESTIC SARDINES
TOMATO SAUCE 3 for 10c
SARDINES 3 for 10c
OLIVE OIL 10c

SALMON
CATSUP 10c
LEA & PERRIN'S SAUCE 10c
EAGLE MILK 21c

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FOR INFO

REPUBLICANS NEAR OPORTO

50,000 Reported Concentrated Around Royalist Stronghold. By the Associated Press. PARIS, Feb. 10.—Forces of the Portuguese republican government aggregating 50,000 are concentrating around Oporto, the royalist stronghold, according to advices received here from Lisbon yesterday. It was announced that attacks by the Royalists upon republican troops had been overcome and that the railways are operating under normal conditions. The mobilization of youths, which was recently ordered by the Government, is declared to have been effected without disorder.

CONSTITUTIONAL ASSEMBLY OF THE NEW POLAND IS AT WORK

Expected Delegates Will Carry Out Program Rapidly and Elect President. Probably Padewski. By the Associated Press. WARSAW, Feb. 10.—With the meeting of new Poland's first constitutional assembly yesterday at the Marius Institute, the work of creating a permanent government is well under way. It is expected the assembly will quickly get down to business, adopt the constitution which has already been drafted, and elect a president of the republic, who probably will be Ignace Jan Padewski.

The majority of the members of the assembly are national democrats and representatives of the peasant party, with the Jewish representatives and the Socialists in the minority. There will be about 200 members for the present. One of the big questions to come up is the division of the land. It is expected that any one person will be limited to the holding of 1000 acres, but proper payment is to be made when ever big properties are subdivided. One move planned is the prevention of the emigration of peasants to America, the desire being to encourage them to remain at home and also to induce those in America to return and work the land. The great part which the women seem likely to take in the future of Poland was emphasized in the election, which went strongly conservative with the help of their votes. They elected to the assembly Mme. Barlicka, head of the teachers' institute, and they were also strong in support of the Padewski ticket.

There are a dozen master cleaners in St. Louis, but only one Star. They were wise men who followed the Star Dyeing and Cleaning Co. Master Dyeing and Cleaners. Three stores eight phones.—Adv.

Dusseldorf Strike Ends. By the Associated Press. COLOGNE, Feb. 10.—The strike of the official and professional class at Dusseldorf is ended, the Spartacists having conceded most of the points demanded. Bourgeois delegates who had been imprisoned as hostages have been liberated.

If you find anything look in the Lost and Found column or advertise therein.

CREDENTIALS OF PEACE DELEGATES UNVERIFIED

Rumors in Paris Delay Is Because Some Are Not Properly Accredited to the Conference. PARIS, Feb. 10.—If the peace conference commission on credentials ever begins to function some stirring developments are expected to follow. The commission has not met thus far, even to organize, the conference, having gotten along entirely without the right of any of the delegates to their seats being challenged, which probably is without precedent in the history of such international gatherings. It being recalled that the famous Westphalian Congress of 1647 spent the better portion of a year in verifying the credentials of its members.

The usual course at these assemblies is for the delegates to exchange their credentials as soon as they gather, any one of them being privileged to make objection to the credentials of another if he find ground to do so. It was stated, however, that the Committee on Credentials of the present conference would conduct any division found necessary for the sufficiency of the papers brought by each delegate, and that it would await the arrival of all the delegates before undertaking the work. The delegates have been coming along in single file ever since the opening of the conference and it has not been thought proper to begin the examination of the documents.

Rumors, however, have been current recently that there was another reason for the delay—the apprehension on the part of the directing forces of the conference that objections would be immediately lodged against the presence of some persons who have already occupied seats in the conference and who, it is declared, are not proper representatives of their Governments. Leading members of the conference express confidence that these persons have a proper status in the body, have sanctioned their presence, and have even admitted some of them to membership in the principal commissions, and it is understood that the conference leaders do not desire to have an issue raised now in this connection that might result in bad feeling and interfere with the smooth progress of the peace-making work.

MAYER DENIES ON STAND HE OFFERED A JOB TO HENEY Armour's Counsel Says Charge Packers Sought to Hire Attorney Is "Chummy Lie."

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Levy Mayer, counsel for J. Ogden Armour, denied emphatically before the Senate Agriculture Committee today that he had offered employment with the big packers to Francis J. Heney, who is conducting the examination of packers' witnesses before the committee. He read a telegram from Frank P. Walsh to whom Mr. Heney had said Mayer told him had been made a similar offer, stating he had heard nothing of it. Heney, who made the charge before the committee Saturday, was not present until after Mayer had made his preliminary statement. The telegram from Walsh in St. Louis was sent, Mayer said, without his request.

"This is the statement of an honest man," the witness added, "in contrast to this clumsy, transparent, dishonest and unprofessional lie of Mr. Heney."

Mayer remarked that Heney had charged the alleged offer was made Jan. 24 and questioned the propriety of his not having made it public before if it were true.

Mayer read a letter he said he wrote President Wilson on Jan. 11, 1918, when the Federal Trade Commission with Heney as its counsel, was investigating the business of the packers. In it he charged that Heney was then trying to undermine public confidence in the meat industry, and that the packers were not permitted to call or cross-examine witnesses.

GABRIEL YSAIE FOUND SHOT Belgian Violinist's Son Says He Slipped on Rug Hunting a Burglar. Special to the Post-Dispatch. CINCINNATI, Feb. 10.—Gabriel Ysaie, son of Eugene Ysaie, famous violinist and conductor of the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra, was found unconscious in his bedroom with a bullet wound near his heart, this morning. Ysaie is a veteran of the Belgian army. He later explained his wound by saying that at 3 a. m. he thought he heard a burglar and got a revolver. He slipped on a rug and in falling the weapon was discharged. His condition is serious. Ysaie gained attention when in the army by waging that he would go into No. Man's Land and play his violin. He did.

ACCUSED TURK KILLS HIMSELF Dr. Reshid Was About to Be Arrested by Allied Forces. By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Dr. Reshid, implicated in the Turkish Government deportations and who was about to be arrested by the allied forces in Constantinople, has killed himself, according to advices reaching the State Department today from Pera. These advices say the court-martial trial of officials implicated in the deportations began last Wednesday and the hearings are being conducted in public. Political leaders who were arrested last week will be tried by another court-martial.

PARIS GIRLS ADMIRE BREEZY, GOOD HUMOR OF AMERICANS

Inquiry by Newspaper Shows That 40 Per Cent of Those Replying Want American Husbands. Correspondence of the Associated Press. PARIS, Feb. 2.—To get an American husband seems to be the ideal of more than 40 per cent of the Parisian young women. At all events, that is the result of an inquiry conducted by L'Oeuvre, a Paris daily newspaper, which publishes a series of letters setting forth the reasons that have guided the writers to give preference to Americans.

Those who would rather marry Frenchmen base their predilections largely on patriotic grounds; but a large percentage of young French women confess to a whole-hearted admiration of the average American's breezy good humor and courtesy of manner toward the other sex.

Several French girls who have had an opportunity to observe American home life appreciate the easy camaraderie between the sexes. Some writers say that French lovers talk overmuch and are too fussy about their appearance. Whether a man ought to shave seems to agitate the French feminine mind considerably, and the voting is about equally divided between the smooth-shaven American and the mustachioed Frenchman.

One girl raises the objection that "Americans eat too much."

Felix Frankfurter Resigns. WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Felix Frankfurter today announced his resignation as assistant to the Secretary of Labor and chairman of the War Labor Policies Board. The board will go out of existence within a few weeks since its activities have come to an end with the close of the war.

INCREASED FEE FOR DOG LICENSE BRINGS RUSH FOR COLLECTOR

\$2 Charge Expected to Be in Effect Next Month; 8339 Licenses Issued So Far. City License Collector Chapman reports a rush in his office by dog owners, who are eager to obtain 1919 license tags before the rate is raised from \$1 to \$2. The Board of Aldermen recently passed an ordinance making this increase, and it is expected to be approved by the Mayor and put into effect about March 15. Since Jan. 1, 8339 licenses have been taken out, or 2994 more than during the corresponding period last year. There were, altogether, 18,872 licenses taken out last year.

Chapman has also been issuing more automobile licenses than last year. Up to Saturday night 13,351 had been taken out, as against 9851 in the corresponding period of 1918. He says he believes that some persons are taking out only one license when they own two or more automobiles, and he is going to ask the police to strictly enforce the law requiring a city license to be displayed on the right-hand side of the running board of each machine.

11 Men of Burned U. S. Ship Rescued. By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The rescue at sea of the mate and 10 men of the American steamship Flirt, destroyed recently by fire in southern waters, was announced in a wireless message received today from the steamship City of Savannah. A dispatch last week from Turks Island, Bahamas, said the captain and 17 men of the Flirt landed at Calicos Feb. 3.

Real Grocery Bargains

The Following Are Strictly Cash and Carry Prices:

ANTONINI OLIVE OIL, full quart cans; reg. price \$2.50 . . . \$1.50
OLD MONK OLIVE OIL, full quart cans; reg. price \$2.50 . . . \$1.35

Quaker Rolled Oats, 13c pkg., 10c
Price's Vanilla Extract, 35c bot., 28c
Price's Baking Powder, 45c can, 37c
Extra Fancy Hand-Picked Michigan Navy Beans, per lb., 10c
Extra Fancy Head Rice, per lb., 10c
Our Special Blend Coffee, reg. 40c quality, per lb., 29c
Lipton's Tea, worth 80c, per lb., 77c
Puffed Rice and Wheat, per pkg., 12c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 12c
Shredded Wheat Biscuit, 12c
Best Granulated Sugar, 10 lbs. 98c
Campbell's Tomato Soup, 3 for 27c
Rumford's Baking Powder, 30c cans, 22c
Fauel Macaroni or Spaghetti, 10c pkg., 2 for 15c
Ivory Soap, 2 bars for 13c
Jello, all flavors, 10c
Uneeda Biscuit, 3 for 25c
Extra quality Baked Beans, in tomato sauce, No. 2 cans, per can, 12c
Shelled Pecans, halves, lb., \$1.02
Walter Baker's Cocoa, 25c cans, 18c
Lux, 13c package, 11c
White Cherries, No. 2 1/2 cans, worth 45c; per can, 34c
Apricots, No. 2 1/2 cans, worth 40c; per can, 29c
Morton's free-running Salt, 10c package, 8c
Knox Sparkling Gelatin, 20c package, 16c
Crisco, 1 1/2-lb. cans, reg. price 50c; per can, 44c

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How Caesar fooled the Huns



WHEN Julius Caesar was in France, driving the Germans back across the Rhine because they treacherously murdered his Peace Commissioners, he found that the Huns would sometimes grip his men by their beards and hold them helpless while the sword got in its work.

Whereupon Caesar, like Alexander the Great before him, "put one over" on the razor-less barbarians by requiring his soldiers to keep themselves clean-shaven.

And the razor with which Caesar fooled the Hun was exactly the same shrewdly balanced, long bladed instrument which all the world's millions have used these two thousand years and more. If Caesar's razor lacked anything at all, it was simply the safety—the extra convenience of the double-edged

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The same time-tested shape and left you've always liked—plus a safety guard—plus a detachable blade—plus a two-edged blade that increases your shaving mileage—plus a stropper that gives you a fresh edge at a moments notice—plus the incomparable temper of the longest, strongest, keenest blade on earth. Seven million men before you have decided in favor of all these advantages added to the virtues of their old razors. Go to your nearest dealer and add your self to that Seven Million today.

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The Greatest Shaving Mileage At Any Price

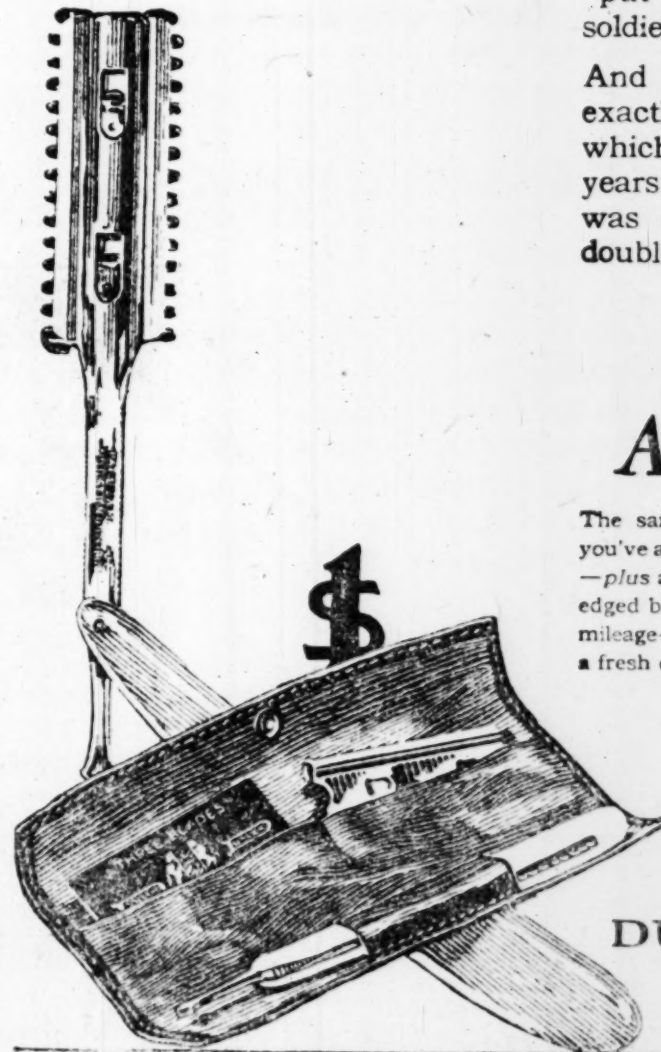
This set contains a Durham-Duplex Razor with an attractive white handle, safety guard, stropping attachment and package of 3 Durham-Duplex double-edged blades (6 shaving edges) all in a handsome leather kit. Get it from your dealer or from us direct.

Additional package of 5 blades at 50 cents.

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Ivory Wicker at Big Reductions

No feature of our big February Sale is more alluring than the Ivory Reed Furniture.

It is so lovely in itself, so delightfully comfortable, so homey and so harmoniously gay with its chintz upholstery, that even a small reduction would make it irresistible.

But because it is our custom to give tremendous values in our February Sales, the reductions are most drastic.

For Instance:

- \$13.25 Ivory Reed Chairs are \$ 9.75
- \$16.00 Ivory Reed Chairs are \$11.00
- \$29.50 Ivory Reed Sofas are \$20.80
- \$13.75 Ivory Reed Tables are \$ 9.75
- \$11.00 Reed Ferneries are \$ 6.75
- \$15.50 Ivory Reed Desks are \$10.50

This is but a sample of the savings the February Sale offers you.

As we have only such furnishings as are really worthy, it doesn't matter whether you buy a \$2000 Dining-Room Suite reduced to \$1375, or a \$5 Chair reduced to \$3.75, you get a dependable thing—invariably. And at this time you get it at a substantial saving.

Everything in our entire house is reduced from 10% to 50%.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets

which destroy germs, act as a Tonic and Laxative, and keep the system in condition to throw off attacks of Colds, Grip and Influenza.
Soon Relieve Feverish and Painful Headaches caused from Colds

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ROOSEVELT EXERCISES IN HIGH SCHOOLS TODAY

Colonel's Memory Widely Honored Here Yesterday in Many Places.

Memorial exercises in the high schools, this morning, in honor of Col. Theodore Roosevelt, continued the observance which was carried out yesterday in churches and places of public assembly, with music, addresses and public expressions of respect and affection.

Archbishop Glennon, speaking last night to the largest gathering held in St. Louis, the mass meeting in behalf of Ireland, at the Coliseum, said: "His faults were the faults of one: his virtues were the virtues of ten. He was a brave, strong, devoted, aggressive, whole-souled American, who stood for home and church and nation. We shall not see his like again."

At the Symphony Orchestra "pop" concert in the Odeon, the Chopin funeral march was played, and the Rev. Dr. W. C. Bitting spoke on Roosevelt's life.

Many soldiers attended the memorial meeting held in the afternoon at the Railroad Y. M. C. A., and heard addresses by Dr. Stanley L. Krebs of Philadelphia and Jesse W. Barrett of St. Louis.

The Rev. S. L. Tucker spoke in New Cathedral School hall in the afternoon. At night Paul V. Bunn, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, a former private secretary of Col. Roosevelt, spoke in Grace Methodist Church on "Personal Reminiscences of Col. Roosevelt."

Boy Scouts conducted a meeting at St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Hamilton and Ridge avenues, at night. The Rev. Dr. John W. McIlvor of the Second Presbyterian Church and the Rev. Dr. Z. B. T. Phillips of St. Peter's Episcopal Church were two of many ministers who made Roosevelt the chief theme of a morning or evening church service. Rabbi Leon Harrison spoke in the new high school building in Alton, and the Rev. Dr. S. H. Woodrow spoke in Webster Groves, on the same theme.

Speeches were made from the stages of the downtown theaters, and the larger moving picture theaters, by men who were lately in the service of public speaking as members of the Four-Minute Men. The arrangements for the memorial observance were made by the community spirit section of the Mayor's Reconstruction Committee.

SEATTLE MAYOR TO IMPORT WORKERS IF STRIKERS STAY OUT

Prepares to Resume City's Commercial Activities and Expect Collapse of General Strike.

By the Associated Press. SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 10.—Municipal officials headed by Mayor Ole Hanson, and assisted by a committee of business men, turned their attention today to plans for immediately resuming the city's industrial and commercial activities which have been deranged since last Thursday by a general strike of approximately 55,000 union men and women. All industries affected by the strike will be resumed with or without the aid of union workers, Mayor Hanson said, and, if need be, the city authorities will import workers from other sections of the country to take the places of the strikers.

Tacoma's general strike, called to support the demands of the shipyard metal workers, was called off yesterday by resolutions adopted by a strikers' committee which recommended that all crafts other than shipyard workers return to their work this morning. The strike never threatened seriously with that city's normal activities.

Conservative leaders of union labor met at 9:30 a. m. with the general strike conference committee and hoped to induce the committee to recommend that the sympathetic strike be called off.

BILL FOR INFORMAL WAR BIDS

Placed in Final Stage for Action by Congress.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The long-pending bill for validation and settlement of informal war contracts aggregating about \$2,750,000,000 today was placed in form for final action by Congress. A complete agreement on the legislation reached by the Senate and House conferees eliminates the commission plan of settlement, but retains substantially the Senate amendment to include mineral contracts.

The conference report was presented to the House today. The Senate conferees yielded on the so-called McKellar amendment, which would have required War Department officials in settling the contracts to make affidavit that they had no personal interest in the contracts under settlement. Under the conference agreement the informal contracts are legalized so that they may be settled by compromise. Government officials will make the settlements and if dissatisfied contractors may appeal to the Federal Court of Claims.

How About Reconstructing the Central Area East of Grand?

Special benefit attaches to the proper sort of reconstruction of the area east of Grand and within the industrial district set apart in the zoning ordinance of the city," says the Chamber of Commerce Annual Review. Real Estate Men: St. Louis Motto is "To the Front." Help her reach her goal. Get together on this reconstruction plan. Market your ground or building through the REAL ESTATE columns of the Post-Dispatch.—ADV.

PRESIDENT HAS QUIET SUNDAY

Goes to Church, Takes Auto Ride and Receives Ambassador Sharp.

By the Associated Press. PARIS, Feb. 10.—President Wilson spent a quiet Sunday after a strenuous week. He went to church with Mrs. Wilson in the morning. After luncheon he took a long automobile ride and later received William G. Sharp, the American Ambassador, who has just returned to Paris from the United States.

After his business meetings with the commission and councils of which he is a member, the President today will receive a delegation of students from the law college of the University of Paris and a committee of English women, who are in Paris to attend the conference of inter-allied women about to be held.

INCREASE BABY'S STRENGTH

Everybody loves a baby and everybody wants a baby abundantly robust. There are many young children to whom

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given in small portions at intervals during each day, would be an important factor in overcoming malnutrition and starting them well on the road to robustness. Every drop of Scott's is pure, rich nourishment, the kind that builds strength and promotes healthy growth. Children Thrive on Scott's. Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

SCIENCE MAKES THEM DURABLE

So—These Soles Save You Shoe Money.

"I have been wearing my Neolin Soles nearly a year, and they are apparently in as good condition as when I bought them."—written August, 1918, by W. H. Cooke, Officer, A.E.F., France.

Only Neolin Soles could endure a test like this. That they do so is because of the tough durability built into them by a scientific process. To cut your shoe bills down, buy shoes with these long-wearing soles. They come in many styles for men, women, and children.

Remember—Neolin Soles are flexible and waterproof, too, and are available everywhere for re-soles. They are made by The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., Akron, Ohio, who also make Wingfoot Heels—guaranteed to outwear all other heels.

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Dr. King's New Discovery almost never fails to bring quick relief.

Small doses once in awhile and that throat-tearing, lung-spitting, cough soon quiets down. Another dose and a hot bath before jumping into bed, a good sleep, and back to normal in the morning.

Dr. King's New Discovery is well known. For fifty years it's been relieving coughs, colds and bronchial attacks. For fifty years it has been sold by druggists everywhere. A reliable remedy that you yourself or any member of your family can take safely. 60c and \$1.20.

Train Those Stubborn Bowels

Help nature take its course, not with a violent, habit-forming, purgative, but with gentle but certain and natural laxative, Dr. King's New Life Pills. Tonic in action, it stimulates the lax bowels. Sold by druggists. 25c.—ADV.

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Men's \$25, \$30 and \$35 Suits and Overcoats

Men's Stylish \$15 and \$10 SUITS & OVERCOATS
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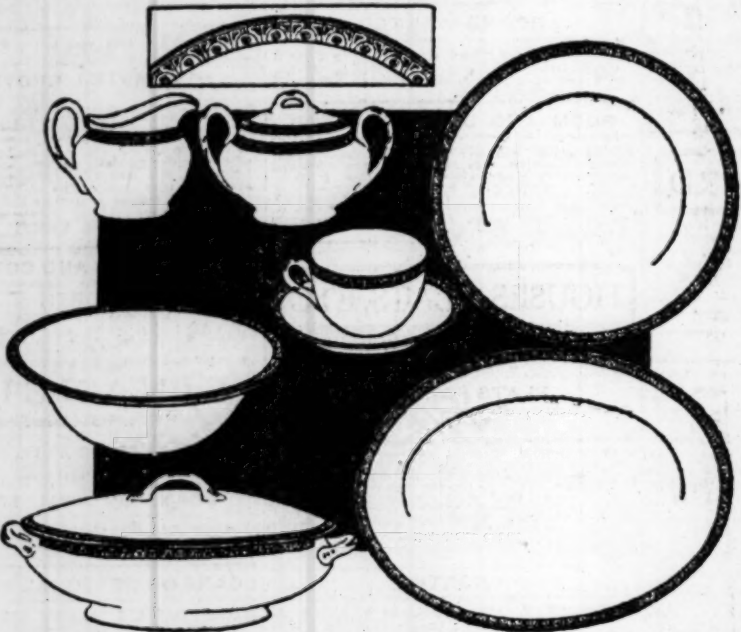
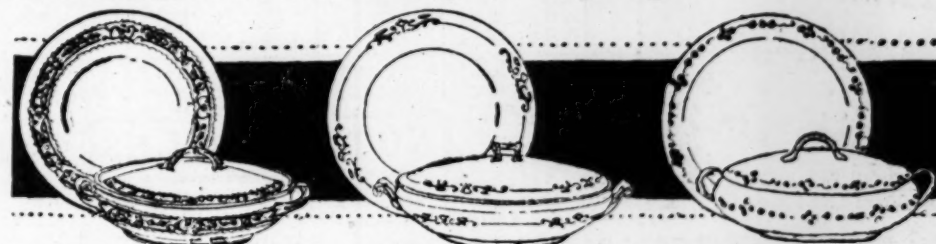
BED SETS

☐ Satin Marseilles, scalloped-edge Spread, with cut corner and full size. Roll cover to match. Per set..... **\$8.50**
Fifth Floor

TUESDAY IS DINNERWARE DAY

One of the Extraordinary Money-Saving Events in Our Masterful February Campaign

☐ The dinnerware situation today is this: The European makes will be extremely scarce for the present, because the ships are too busy bringing our boys back. Prices on domestic dinnerware will positively remain stationary—perhaps even advance—from present indications. These conditions emphasize the extraordinary nature of this sale, which brings both foreign and domestic ware at prices that are far below regular as you can readily see from the values quoted and the sale prices. At the following decisive savings, far sighted people will buy for present use and will anticipate future needs as well.



Dinner Sets

\$20 Value—**\$14.00**
Tuesday.....

100-piece sets, including bread and butter plates and fast stand sauceboat. Plain American shape with delicate white and gold band design. Just 35 sets.

China Dinner Sets

\$65 Value—**\$32.95**
Tuesday.....

100-piece light-weight Nippon China Dinner Sets, decorated with delicate pink floral border design with gold line on edge and coin gold handles. Bread and butter plates and fast stand sauceboat included. An extraordinary value and only 16 sets to offer.

Dinner Sets

\$50 Value—**\$35.00**
Tuesday.....

Theo. Haviland French china 100-piece sets, decorated in floral spray design and coin gold treatment. Bread and butter plates and fast stand sauceboat included. Just 21 sets.

Dinner Sets

\$40 Value—**\$23.50**
Tuesday.....

112 piece sets in attractive English design on plain shape, made of American semi-porcelain ware. Bread and butter plates included. A limited number only.

Dinner Sets

\$48 Value—**\$34.00**
Tuesday.....

100-piece Nippon China Sets, including bread and butter plates and fast stand sauceboat. Decorated in floral spray design, with gold line on edge of each piece. Only 20 of these sets.

Dinner Sets

\$25 Value—**\$17.50**
Tuesday.....

American semi-porcelain 100-piece sets. Two floral border patterns with gold treatment to choose from. Bread and butter plates included. Only 14 sets at this price.

Open-Stock Dinnerware

Our entire stock, including also 42, 50 and 100 piece sets, offered Tuesday at a discount from regularly marked prices of

20%

Dinner Sets

\$26 Value—**\$18.65**
Tuesday.....

100 pieces, including bread and butter plates and fast stand sauceboat. Plain shape light weight semi-porcelain ware with attractive border pattern and gold line on outer and inner edge. Only 25 sets.

Dinner Sets

\$15 Value—**\$10.50**
Tuesday.....

50-piece American semi-porcelain sets, including bread and butter plates and fast stand sauceboat. Decorated with green conventional design. 36 sets in this lot.

Dinner Sets

\$12.50 Value—**\$7.95**
Tuesday.....

50 pieces of American semi-porcelain ware with attractive white and gold lace border design. Bread and butter plates included. While 21 sets last.

Dinner Sets

\$10.50 Value—**\$6.95**
Tuesday.....

43-piece American semi-porcelain sets with green conventional designs. Complete service for six people. Only 43 sets at this price.

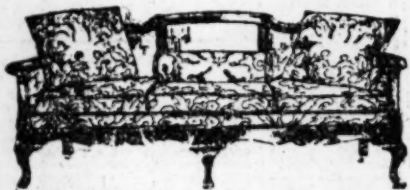
Wool Blankets

\$12.50 Quality—**\$7.95**
Pair.....

☐ Tuesday's price on these splendid Blankets is lower than today's wholesale price. Only 95 Blankets are in this lot. They are warm, soft and fluffy, and come in large sizes for double beds. White, gray and fancy plaids.

In the February Furniture Sale—
\$125 Cane Davenport

\$99



☐ An attractive offering that demonstrates the splendid economies made possible by the February Furniture Sale. These handsome davenports are in mahogany finish, upholstered with heavy tapestry and fitted with two pillows and day rolls. \$50 Chair to match, **\$41.50**. \$55 Fireside Chair to match, **\$43.50**.

\$235 Dining-Room Suites, \$175

Queen Anne design, of quarter-sawn oak—buffet, china cabinet, serving table and 6 chairs.

\$25 Box Springs, \$18.50

Large steel coil springs used throughout—four full-sized brass or iron beds.

\$30 Mattresses, \$16.50

Cudahy's "Slumber-On" Hair Mattresses, containing 50 pounds of all-curl hair. Full rolled edge.

Fourth Floor

Kitchen and Laundry Needs

☐ Well-known makes of Kitchen Cabinets, Washing Machines and Wringers offered at unusual savings.

\$32.95 Sellers Cabinets—with metal sliding top.....**\$27.75**
\$47.95 Sellers Cabinets—with porcelain top.....**\$42.45**
\$52.95 Sellers Cabinets—with porcelain top.....**\$47.45**
Sellers Cabinets—floor samples slightly imperfect—20% Discount
\$12 Boss 1904 Automatic Washing Machines.....**\$8.45**
\$18 Boss Cincy hand-power Washing Machines.....**\$12.45**
\$23.50 Boss water-power Washing Machines.....**\$16.45**
\$53 Boss Champion electric Washing Machines.....**\$41.95**
\$105 Boss electric Washing Machines.....**\$84.45**
\$6.35 Bicycle brand Clothes Wringers.....**\$4.95**
\$9 Novelty brand Bench Wringers.....**\$7.45**

Basement Gallery

Axminster RUGS

\$45 quality—Tuesday,

\$37.50

☐ You can well anticipate your Spring re-furnishing needs, as far as Rugs are concerned, by taking advantage of this special saving.

☐ Rugs are in the 9x12 ft. size; of an exceptionally heavy quality and in an excellent assortment of this season's most select patterns, such as Oriental, medallion, floral and conventional designs. Shown in many of the wanted colors; suitable for all rooms.

Fourth Floor

Particular Attention Is Directed to Our Showing of Spring

SERGE SUITS

At the Very Special Price of..... **\$29.75**

☐ Serge, the most practical of all fabrics for tailored apparel, is destined to enjoy unbounded popularity this Spring.

We are showing a splendid collection of these practical and fashionable Suits at a price that is well within the range of all purses.

☐ Included are the smart box coat effects and clever belted models, all designed so as to retain the essential straight line silhouette. There are the novelty vests in contrasting shades and soft silk over-collars. The skirts are plain tailored, long and narrow at the hem. Smartly trimmed with pockets and belts. Suits shown in blue and black. Sizes for women and misses.



Third Floor

POINTING THE WAY TO CLOTHES ECONOMY



The Suits

include kinds most wanted. Waist-seam models, military effects, two and three button sack styles, also single and double-breasted models of plain blue serge, flannel in blue, green and Oxford gray, novelty cassimeres and chevrons, also silk-mixed worsteds, many lined with fancy silks. All sizes for men and young men.

The Overcoats

—in the assortment are big storm ulsters, short ulsterettes, waist-seam models and the always dressy Chesterfield Coats of the desired fabrics in dark and medium colors. Most of them are quarter-satin lined. Sizes for men and young men of all builds.

Second Floor

A Demonstration of the Helpfulness of Our February Sale of Men's and Young Men's

Suits and Overcoats

Which offers \$25, \$30 and \$35 Garments at \$19.00

☐ Clothes of exceptional quality, in styles and sizes for men and young men at a price that definitely proves why this is justly St. Louis' Foremost Clothes Store for Men.

☐ The attention of soldiers, sailors and marines who are returning to civilian life is called to this unusual money-saving event.

\$19.00



Tuesday, in the Basement Economy Store—

Georgette and Crepe de Chine Waists

☐ These Waists were just purchased from a New York maker at a remarkable concession and have just arrived by express. They are qualities that ordinarily sell at \$4 and \$5, and they surely will go quickly at Tuesday's price.

☐ Included are Waists of splendid quality Georgette and crepe de chine, with embroidered, headed or plain tailored fronts and large collars. Also striped Tub Silk Waists with two-in-one convertible collars. Shades are flesh, black, navy, also white. All sizes.

\$4 and \$5 Values

\$2.98

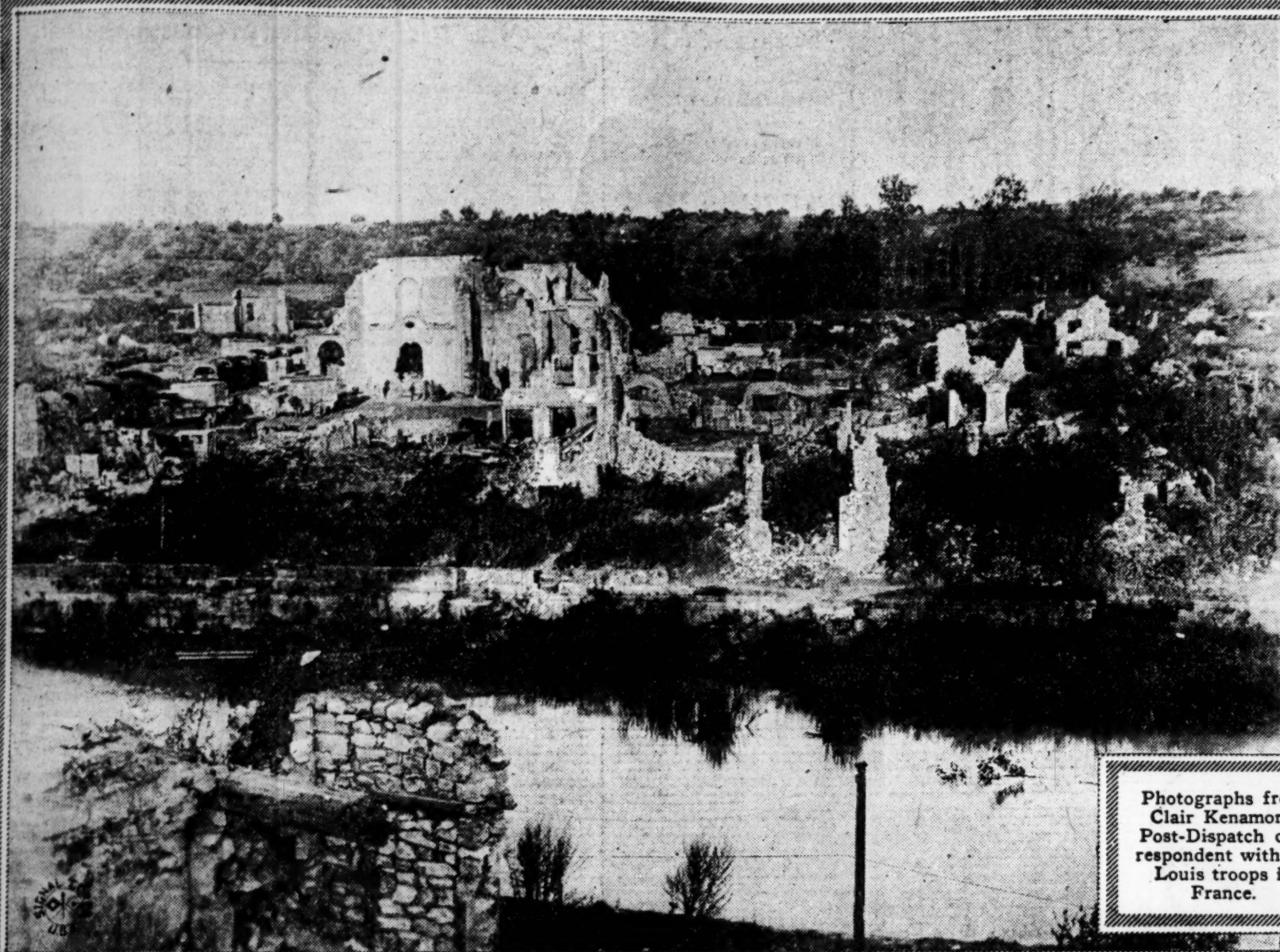
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PHOTOGRAPHS OF THE 35TH DIVISION IN CLOSING DAYS OF THE WAR



Varennes after its capture Oct. 1.



Crosses over the graves under "the three trees of Cheppy," where the 138th regiment suffered a loss of 15 men killed.

Photographs from
Clair Kenamore,
Post-Dispatch cor-
respondent with St.
Louis troops in
France.



Working on the Cheppy road near Vauquois.



Battery D of the 128th Artillery in action Sept. 26 at 7:10 a. m.



Result of shell fire in Exermont Oct. 7.



Questioning a German prisoner.



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I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles, that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight demagogues of all parties, never belong to any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be satisfied with merely printing news, always be drastically independent; never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

JOSEPH PULITZER.

April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Overcapitalization of the Main Issue.

The Globe-Democrat, with the same audacity which led it to publish one side of the Chamber of Commerce report on the recall the other day, in its editorial Friday morning distorted and directly misrepresents the statements of Delos F. Wilcox before the City Club. Using the usual tactics of special privilege organs, it likewise draws a red herring across the trail in an effort to cloud the issue now before the people of St. Louis. That issue, squarely placed before us, is not instantaneous municipal ownership, but overcapitalization and the irregular executive deal which granted franchises to the United Railways without touching this evil. Under private or public ownership of street railways, as Dr. Wilcox showed, overcapitalization is fatal. No proper standards of service at a reasonable fare can be obtained as long as inflation exists. Private ownership minus overcapitalization can give such service as such fares better than public ownership with overcapitalization. Those in control of the street railway companies, caught by the wild financing of service, are anxious to get rid of their properties by transferring them to other interests, the public if possible. They have been maneuvering around for the last few years with this idea in view. Officers of the United Railways Co. have indeed municipal ownership, and a great number of the members of the American Electric Railway Association (AERA) this same view, as shown at their November national meeting.

But the United Railways officials and the American Electric Railway Association wish a public ownership which will transfer the burden of overcapitalization to the public. Men looking at the situation from the public viewpoint see that overcapitalization must be eliminated, whether the railways remain under private or public ownership. Dr. Wilcox strongly and clearly emphasized the pollution of All partnership arrangements and "deals" and "settlements" which do not go after the elimination of overcapitalization, such as the Kiel deal utterly fails to do, were pronounced to be worthless, a waste of time on the part of the city officials and in many cases a direct and deliberate betrayal of the public interest.

In St. Louis there can be no settlement of our traction difficulties until the gross overcapitalization is done away with. The Jefferson avenue franchise case was the great lever which the city had in its hands to force a proper reorganization of the company, which would eliminate this enormous incubus. Mayor Kiel and the City Counselor gave away this powerful means of curing the local situation, and allowed the companies an unconditional extension of franchises without any consideration for the main trouble which prevents them from giving proper service at a reasonable fare to St. Louis car riders. Whether a man be committed to public or private ownership of street railways, he cannot fail to condemn a deal which allows to continue—and effectively sanctions—the grossly inflated stock of the street railway company.

The Globe-Democrat, it will be remembered, supported the partnership plan in 1917 and hastily withdrew its support shortly after its first independence, when the Civic League's special committee showed what a betrayal of the city's interests such a partnership would prove. It likewise endorsed the compromise bill, now discredited and cast aside by the company itself. It has stood for anything that the company has concocted to protect its inflation. The crudity of this paper in listing the statements of a man who has stood conspicuously for the last 20 years as an opponent of overcapitalization is on a par with the naïveté or deliberate unfaithfulness of the Mayor, in making a secret deal with a company which has never kept its contracts and which has resorted to any means, even to burglary, to defeat the public rights.

LOUIS F. BUDENZ.

Support for Downtown Churches.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
An appeal to the churchmen and churchwomen of St. Louis: When Jesus Christ was on earth He ministered to the poor, the weak and the sick spiritually and bodily, and He ate with the publican and sinner.

The order of the day seems to be to move the churches of this city out to the western portion of the town, to be convenient to the more fortunate financially, but the Church of the Holy Communion is struggling to stay at Twenty-eighth street and Washington avenue, to minister to the needs of those around it. To keep up this work the church must increase its endowment. Then the churchmen who are willing to give of themselves, but the wealthy Episcopalians of all the city ought to be helping in this great work. God has abundantly blessed you. Are you, who can so well afford it, going to miss this blessed opportunity and privilege of helping to perpetuate an institution of God that is not only ministering to the spiritual, but also to the bodily needs of His children who will not go to a "West End church"?

A CHURCHWOMAN.

NO ANARCHISTIC REVOLT.

The proposal of the Central Trades and Labor Union of the city to call a mass meeting to protest against prohibition is eminently proper and in the spirit and method of American democracy. But the no-beer-no-work movement of New York labor leaders contemplating a strike on account of prohibition is as un-American as the Federal prohibition amendment.

Direct action by any body of people to nullify laws adopted by their representatives in the Federal or in State Legislatures is not the way of organized democracy, but of revolutionary anarchism. It is alien to American institutions and is subversive of organized free popular government.

That Congress and the State Legislatures have jammed through a constitutional amendment violative of a fundamental principle of American liberty and subversive of individual rights is due to the blindness of the masses of the people to the insidious and dangerous attacks upon their liberties and to their dereliction in failing to control their representatives and protect their rights.

The power of effective, lawful protest lies within the hands of the people. It will take a long time to repeal the Federal prohibition amendment, but the people can check any further restrictions upon personal liberty and the encroachment of the Federal Government upon local police power. They can demand that Congress and the State Legislatures refrain from fanatic laws enforcing the amendment. They can demand that prohibitory war orders be abrogated and prohibitory war legislation be repealed.

The act of Congress prohibiting the sale of liquors, wine and beer after June 30 next is a war measure pure and simple. Yet it was signed by the President after the armistice and as an exercise of war power for purposes no longer requiring legislation is indefensible. The people should demand its repeal and they should see that no drastic use of the police power which will destroy every vestige of personal liberty and create evils far greater than the evils of licensed liquor selling shall be made by Congress.

In this country our liberties depend wholly upon the vigilance of the people. If they are now awakening to the menace of the assault that has been made upon their rights and their freedom, it is an encouraging sign that fanatical tyranny and absurd paternalism shall not ultimately triumph to sap the foundations of American free government.

THE RUTHLESSNESS OF PEACE.

Premier Ebert denounces what he calls the ruthlessness of peace, but makes no disavowal of the ruthlessness of war.

Even if present proposals are insisted on in all their tentative severity, which is most improbable, every stipulation to which he objects would be only a pale reflex of some Berlin war policy of frightfulness, an inadequate penalty for a long series of crimes never to be condoned. If some of the rich Saarbrücken mineral lands adjacent to the Rhine are taken from German rule, it is not to match the actual damage in dollars and cents inflicted on French mines. It is to insure France against that permanent industrial inferiority in the future which the Germans wished to make certain when they destroyed hundreds of millions of dollars worth of coal and other properties about Lens. Is the attainment of such an objective, so far outside of any legitimate purpose of war, to be confirmed and ratified in a peace of justice?

The Premier protests because with the armistice date only three months away, 800,000 Germans are still held as prisoners of war in comfort and under kind treatment by the allies. With what patience will the allies read of such remarks coming from the new head of the nation which starved and bullied and tortured hundreds of thousands of prisoners, not only during weeks, but during months and years? If inconvenience to German residents of Alsace-Lorraine because of the restoration of French ownership is condemned, how much more to be condemned is the 40 years of systematic persecution of French residents by Germany?

The Ebert references bring up painful memories which were better left undisturbed to time's healing. The peace delegates include men who are convinced they see a growing arrogance among the Germans and who would be glad of an excuse to impose more bitter terms. Hunger, says the Premier, is preferable to disgrace and privation to dishonor. No disgrace can come to Germany as fathomless as that she has brought on herself. How futile for a nation to prate of dishonor which stands before the nations and history self-stripped of honor!

NOT AN INVOLUNTARY COMBINATION.

A workmen's compensation measure will pass the House, according to Jefferson City estimates, but will be successfully opposed in the Senate by certain short-sighted employers, lawyers whose professional income is enlarged by damage suits and the insurance interests. That makes a powerful combination, but a combination acting from self-interest rather than from public-spirited motives. A fight for the public against that sort of a combination is never lost.

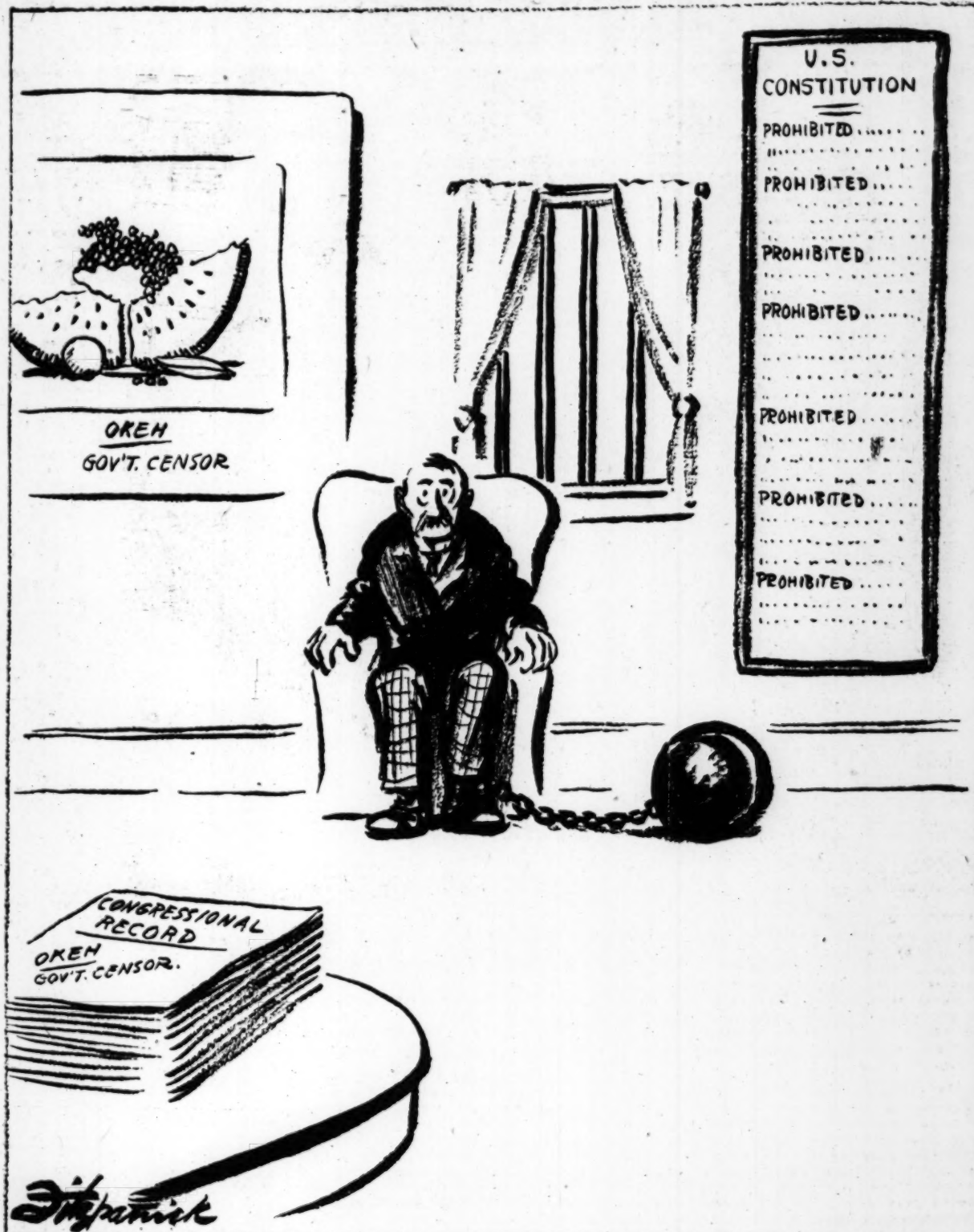
Abandonment of any attempt to give a State insurance fund a monopoly under the proposed system will deprive the opposition of corporate insurance interests of much of its force. A reasonable bill eliminating extremes will neutralize the opposition of fair-minded employers. Such selfish opposition as may fight any reasonable bill is biased and ought not to have much consideration.

Is the bill to be defeated because it will prevent the old 60-50 divisions with the damage suit lawyers?

THE ARGONNE OF NORTHERN RUSSIA.

Wounded American soldiers who left Archangel Dec. 7, have arrived at New York with accounts of the expedition which previously had not been permitted to become public. If what they say is confirmed by the experience of others, it may be that the fighting in Northern Russia will be held in the general verdict to have imposed tests on courage and endurance as great as any of record in the entire war, equalling, perhaps surpassing, the great ordeal of the Argonne.

Although the world did not hear of any allied retreats in this region until Jan. 1, these soldiers report that their forces were repeatedly compelled to fall back at earlier dates. They had advanced about 250 miles south of Archangel by November, but all progress toward Tolgas was of short duration. Between Oct. 1 and Nov. 15 the Bolsheviks, swarming in ever increasing numbers, made more than 40 attacks on them, these soldiers say, often driving them back. The allies are described as having little artillery aside from a few Canadian three-inch guns, and their total forces in these engagements were outnumbered by the Bolsheviks 30 to one, sometimes 50 to one. The temperature was often 25 below zero during the operations. At times a large majority of the command were severely ill with the influenza. From early in the season malaria prevailed, attributed to the extensive marshes.



"THE LAND OF THE FREE AND THE HOME OF THE BRAVE."

The MIRROR of PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to reproduce without bias the latest comment by the leading publicists, newspapers and periodicals on the questions of the day.

WARNED FIFTY YEARS AGO.

ALFRED O. GILBERT in February St. Nicholas.
"ALFRED O. GILBERT, those familiar names, found almost every day in almost every paper; those two oblong strips of country between France and Germany, how little some of us know about them, after all. The ex-Crown Prince, in order to prove the ignorance of our fighting men, reported an American prisoner as saying that Alsace was a large lake. Perhaps he did, this soldier of ours—and perhaps there was a twinkle in his eye and a laugh in his heart when he said it; for our boys packed a lot of humor in their kits. When we come down to it, however, we Americans—yes, and our English, even our French brothers—might well have known more of these two 'lost provinces.' We had a chance. But in our crowded lives many books are left unread, and in the telling pointed a certain finger to the future. Only a year after the Franco-Prussian War ended, after picturing freshly remembered German brutalities, they said: 'Those who shall come after will see worse things than this; since men are wolves, foxes, hawks, owls, all this must come round again.'"

These Germans are the most perfect knaves in the world; they come to this world to spy, as birds do to thieves; it is part of their nature. Let the Americans and all the people who are kind enough to receive them think of about German imprudence when some cost them dearly. I am not inventing. I am not saying a word too much. We are an example. Let the world profit by it. That was our warning almost half a century ago."

SOME ENDURING ECSTASIES.

Someone has cried out for a "new ecstasy." What is the matter with the old ones? Have we forgotten? That we live on a star. That no one has ever found out why two and two make four. That the sun is just as much of a miracle today as it was when it was first seen.

That no one has yet found out where the music in the violin is silent. That no Darwin has yet discovered how a beetrak creates one kind of thought and pumpkin pie another. That love is more rapturous to the civilized man and more of a mystery to him than it is to a savage.—New York Sun.

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH by Clark McDanns

THE UNDIVINE COMEDY.

Place—Hell.
Scene—Low cavern in Pandemonium. Dark save for green and red lights that flicker on the walls. From ceiling there is continual movement of wings and flying things.

The "All-Highest" is discovered cringing in a corner.
The "All-Highest" (bitterly):
My crown—my friends—have you forsaken me?

Mine eyes, look not that way! Where shall I go?
Why creeps that burning cloud so near my face?
Is this my soul itself I see? Stand!

Stop!
(Enter Satan followed by Attila.)
Satan (to Attila, looking curiously about the room):
Where is he now? This foolishness of man.

Who cumbered earth and now would cumber hell?
(Attila points to the "All-Highest," who is seen cringing in a corner.)
Is that he, Attila? dost thou mean that?

Upon its belly? that pretences thing? (Striding closer he gives the "All-Highest" a kick.)
Wherefore has conscience fallen so low?

In me.
That it must bring to mind such spawn as this?
O, surely, now becomes Hell's eye most foul.

With that stay on its hidden retina. (Kicking him again.)
Stand up thou dross! that I may see thy face.

Or what's remaining of thy features still.
(The "All-Highest" rises, shaking from head to foot.)
The breath from out thy lungs doth give forth stench.

That puts me nostrils to a novel torture.
Why on thy cheeks do I behold such grief?
(Striking him on each cheek.)
This side and that! Why dost thou lose this war?

O, spare me, mighty Satan!
Satan (twisting one of the victim's arms):
Break off, break off!

But let me run headlong back unto earth.
Satan:
As welcome art thou there as here in hell.

That I'll consider too in thine indictment.
The "All-Highest":
O, wilt thou not have mercy on my soul?

Send not my heart for thy consoling prayer.
(Pointing to Attila.)
For it was he who came and tempted me.

Satan (angrily):
Thou insolence and swill! In that we present through Failure's mean, loathsome eye.
Failure makes evil turn against itself and prickles the low faculties of shame.

Poor pallid weakling is the soul of him Which cannot hold its own in blood-stained life.
But leaves achievement eke from out the door.
Hold still! Thou cringing fool; should I turn thee?
To brutish beast? Nay, nay, they suffer not.
Without a conscience comprehending me
Nor what was lost from Godly paradise.

Attila:
Pardon presumption in me, Lucifer; But let him still in shape be caressed.
By worms' embraces; or snake his paramour
To state his lips with those great cruelties.
Vile propaganda and those deeds of shame
Which he practiced upon the plains of life.
Trust me to force this venom through his veins
With all the thrill that hell can add.

So unimpeded by the bounds of Time.
The "All-Highest":
O, spare me.

Satan:
A good suggestion, Attila. Who didst oust him so successfully. (To himself.)
Ah, I was so afflicted by this sight: What pain could I give unsubstantial souls.

Whose eyes are far less hardened than mine own.
(To Attila again.)
Methinks I'll send him through the open fields
Of fire and ice; entrails and brain exposed to public view eternally.
(Several devils appear in the entrance. To himself.)
"Would be new sufferings for my menials here
Forced thus to see the vilest schemes in coils.
That God e'er hid behind a fleshly wall.
(Summoning the devils to seize his victim, he addresses him again.)
Now, viper, thou hast heard thy sentence; there is
No ear in hell to mercy's warblings; Nor would I soil my tongue with further speech.
(The devils seize the "All-Highest" and drag him roughly toward the door.)
Be thou transparent—open wide apart!
Walk and enjoy thy fulsome memories.
But one great consolation give thy soul
That I as well must view thy future role.

(CURTAIN.)
—By Charles V. H. Roberts, from "The Great Conspiracy." Scene IX.

A SERIOUS CASE.
"You say your jewels were stolen while the family were at dinner."
"No, no! This is a serious theft, officer. Our dinner was stolen while we were putting on our jewels."—Boston Transcript.

Crowder's Second Report on Draft Operations to Dec. 20 an Intensely Human Record

Twenty-four Million Men Were Registered and 2,800,000 Called, All Were in Class 1—Many Vital Facts Revealed in Questionnaires.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—"When the history of the war comes to be written," as we are daily being told in public speeches dealing with this or that segment of the great struggle, wonderful things will be related. Of one phase of the war as it came to America, perhaps the most important of all its many phases, the complete, authoritative story has just been told. And wonderful things are therein related.

It is not a dry-as-dust document, this report of Provost Marshal-General Enoch H. Crowder of Missouri and Washington, but an intensely human account of the workings of the selective draft system that Crowder devised and carried into effect. Its 607 pages are packed full of facts, figures and philosophy. It is a handy compendium of information about America's man power, an account of a stewardship, a textbook in patriotism, and with it all the good reading.

When Gen. Crowder receives the degree of LL. D. that the University of Missouri desires to confer upon him, a native son of the State, he may properly be described not alone as a soldier and master builder of America's draft machinery, but as author.

Is Second Draft Report.

The book, the physical makeup and the title, "Second Report of the Provost Marshal-General to the Secretary of War on the Operations of the Selective Service System to Dec. 20, 1918." It is free from the stereotyped phrases that commonly mark official reports and free at the same time from any strivings for literary effect. The story is told in simple and terse English. Thereby it achieves distinction.

The author necessarily says, in his prefatory letter to the Secretary of War: "I submit this report," but thereafter there is very little use of the capital I. It is a modestly told story of a tremendous accomplishment.

Like a newspaper reporter with a "big story" to tell, Gen. Crowder puts the main facts in a summary at the beginning. Here is a sample of his manner and matter of the book, taken from the introduction:

24,000,000 Men Registered.
"How great a part American selective service played in the drama of the world war, history alone can tell. That a new and untried scheme of selection could succeed at all was to many doubtful; that it should attain results beyond the wildest dreams of its most ardent supporters was unbelievable. To enroll for service over 24,000,000 men; to mobilize a selected army of more than 2,800,000, a million of them within the space of 90 days; to have presently available for military duty 2,000,000 additional fighting men; to classify this vast group of man power in the order of its military value; to industrial importance, so as to preserve the domestic and industrial life of the nation; to speed up war-time activities; to maintain them in a status of maximum efficient production, and to pave the way to a speedy return to normal peace-time pursuits while recruiting the full fighting strength of the nation—these are results which he who has not seen the actual facts stand as irrefutable testimonials of their accomplishment."

From the mass of significant facts which Gen. Crowder presents, it is difficult to make a selection for a brief resume. Here is one that Americans are likely to remember, in gratitude to the efficiency of a system that called men to the colors in the order that would work the least hardship:

Only Class Men Called.
"Our fighting forces were supplied with men from Class 1, and from Class 2 only in the case of the military service. The deferred classes remained intact. When hostilities ceased, the draft in Class 1 a supply of fighting men sufficient to meet every military necessity."

Gen. Crowder gives a large share of the credit for the success of the draft to the civilian boys who fought their way out of the country. They performed

their duties, he says, "with a zeal and dispatch that are unparalleled in the history of free peoples."

"Without adequate compensation," he writes, "often at great financial sacrifice, the members of the local administrative organizations have bent themselves to their tasks with a devotion that spells the imperishability of our democratic institutions."

The belief is expressed that the use of State officials in administering the draft has brought about a closer union between the states and the central administration, "thus welding more firmly the various parts of the Union."

The publicity incident to the draft, Gen. Crowder says, has formed an invaluable stimulus to the progress of the nation. He explains:

Value of Publicity.
"The reference is not to publicity in the sense of the knowledge of once private facts, but in the sense of a conscious stirring up of universal interest in the many aspects of community life. It has been the greatest educational process in the history of the country. Ignorance has been exposed, and with its exposure the necessity for greater educational facilities has been impressed upon all the people. Disease, heretofore hidden in holes and corners, has been uncovered. With all this has come in many quarters where it was needed, the conviction on the part of all intelligent citizens that there must be new methods and new efforts. The stimulus thus given to patriotic and disinterested organizations for the purpose of the common welfare will be the means hereafter of saving hundreds of times the lives lost in the war."

On the lessons learned from the draft, Crowder bases a concrete suggestion of a new method for the taking of the decennial census. "The idea has always been," he says, "that the desired census information must be sought out piecemeal. The possibility of having every person report at a given place on a given day for enrollment was considered remote, if considered at all. Crowder says that the administration of the draft has demonstrated not only the practicability of such a method, but its superior speed, accuracy and completeness. What now takes months to accomplish, he believes, could be compressed into days by the utilization of the registration machinery that has been built up."

Selective Plan for Census.
"To apply the selective plan to the census," he says, "would be an experiment but the extending of the application of a principle already established."

It is plain from the report that Gen. Crowder, dealing with millions of men on units of human values, has not lost sight of human values. The book contains many studies of the effect of the draft in individual cases.

A typical story, reported by a local draft board is introduced by Gen. Crowder with the remark that "sometimes the work-or-fight order anomalously came to be the one of choice for the man who was a patriotic." This is the incident in the words of a draft officer:

"Work or Fight" Order Effected.
"A young man in a certain town felt it his duty to fight in his own country, but his wife absolutely refused to give her consent and so informed the local board. The young fellow held a good position with a local concern, so he just quit his job, he came a loafer, and the local board was compelled to send him to the army under the work-or-fight rule. He sure outwitted her!"

From the mass of the results of numerous studies based on the registration figures. For example, a comparison was made of urban and rural physical rejections. The figures indicate that the urban boys were slightly more physically fit than the rural boys.

It was interesting, says Gen. Crowder, to watch the turn of sentiment toward the draft. He expresses the change succinctly:

"At first the question was: 'How can I keep out of the army?' Gradually that attitude changed, and finally it was: 'How can I get into the army right away?'"

TRAINING OF WOUNDED MEN
CHIEF TOPIC OF EDUCATORS

The National Society for Vocational Education will hold its twelfth annual convention Feb. 20 and 22, at the Statler Hotel. All sessions will be open to the public. The most vital topic before the convention is the rehabilitation of wounded soldiers.

Maj. Arthur D. Dean of the Surgeon-General's Office, Washington, will speak first day on "Rehabilitation of Wounded Soldiers." Other topics growing out of the war to come before the convention the first day are: Methods and results of industrial training for workers in the war industry; the use of vocational and technical schools for training army mechanics, and war-time participation of women in industry; its permanent effects.

Other general and special topics are agricultural education, federal aid for commercial education, the use of trade tests in the army and industrial establishments, methods of teaching house management, the Smith-Hughes act, important current problems of vocational education for farming, retail selling education, evening trade teacher training courses, and teacher training for vocational homemaking.

A banquet will be given Feb. 20 at the Hotel Statler.

SCHOLARSHIPS IN W. U. EXTENDED TO FINANCE SCHOOL.

By action of the Washington University Corporation, scholarships in that institution, numbering about 175 and mainly for undergraduates, have been extended to the School of Commerce and the University's latest addition to the university. Heretofore those not especially established in the medical and dental schools and the Union in the Civil War, but in the school of the college and the school of engineering.

Most of the scholarships have been provided by individuals, but the corporation has created several scholarships for the benefit of the public high schools of the city and four annually to young men living in Missouri outside the city. In addition, there are several arising from a trust fund accepted by the university about 40 years ago from the Western Sanitary Commission. First beneficiaries under this fund are children or descendants of soldiers who fought in the Union in the Civil War, but in default of such applicants candidates are appointed from graduates of the high schools of the city, preference being given to those in strategic circumstances.

Chancellor Hall says additional fellowships for graduates are needed.

Fashions at the Capital

By Margaret Wade.

(Miss Wade for several years until recently was Society Editor of the Washington Post and now is attached to the Washington Bureau of the New York Times.)

WASHINGTON, D. C. WHILE no effort has been made to restore Cabinet day to the official calendar, where in past seasons it assumed not only a national but an international importance, the fact of Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Champ Clark and a score of senatorial matrons announcing days at home, without the formality of issuing cards, has brought the custom of afternoon visiting back to a pre-war basis.

The well appointed tea table is again restored to every hospitable home with maid or matrons in smart attire and of graceful manner selected to pour just as in the old days. With this revival also comes a new era in the wardrobe of the hostess. During the 19 months of war was practically abandoned, the simplest of tailored suits or a service uniform doing duty from breakfast to the dinner hour. Even in war time Washington dressed for dinner.

Not only are the hostesses and their assistants wearing smart demitoses, but the average visitor is making a great distinction in the costume in which she goes to market or to a charity meeting at 11 o'clock in the morning, and that in which she makes visits or attends even the most informal afternoon company.

Mrs. Clark welcomed her afternoon visitors of last week in a gown of very dark voile, made on graceful, becoming lines with the skirt just one inch from the floor and the bodice opening over a narrow vest of cream tulle with the long reverie of satin in the new elegant tone. The sleeves were of the dark blue, very long and close from the elbow.

Mrs. Marshall's most becoming reception dress is also dark blue, but of georgette, with smartly draped skirt and handsome self-embroidery on the bodice, and the half length transparent sleeves.

TWO interesting figures among the numerous of visitors were Mrs. Selden, Spencer of Missouri and Mrs. Joseph J. France of Maryland, both recent additions to the senatorial circle.

Mrs. Spencer wore a smartly tailored suit in dark burgundy cloth, with becoming round hat covered in dwarf dahlias of rich red tones.

Mrs. France wore a dark gown showing a modish silhouette with a long satin cloth with deep collar and cuffs of black fox, and a high,

HINTS TO FEMININE JOB SEEKERS.

Wait until the psychological moment to apply for that position as office girl.



small turban trimmed in black wings. Mrs. William Alden Smith of Michigan and Mrs. George McLean of Connecticut are wearing particularly smart semi-toilets in which the new head embroidery forms a significant part.

Mrs. Smith who wore her much-beaded gown when assisting at Mrs. Marshall's day at home has the gown of black satin, with a long overdress of beads in French blue, with touches of black and crystal, introduced in geometrical pattern.

Mrs. McLean's gown of the same general character as that of the Michigan hostess, is also black satin with the embellishment of harmonizing tones in green and pink.

A smart black gown of georgette, worn by Mrs. Montgomery Blair, shows the new length round skirt as well as an effective trimming in black and colored beads. The gown worn for afternoon visiting or for the theater is almost to the ground and possibly four yards wide at the

hem, but mounted on a narrow satin encircled by jet beads in parallel lines about an inch apart, while the skirt is of jet and colored beads, the colors being full but rich green and crimson. With this Mrs. Blair who was formerly Miss Edith Draper, wears a broad-brimmed black satin hat trimmed in paradise.

ONE of the smartest of debutante frocks is a superlatively fine serge worn by Miss Oliver Great. which is almost covered in the new embroidery inspired by the spider web, but in this particular case a harmony of delicate silk threads showing blue, gold, pink and green.

With this on a round of visits with her youthful looking mother, the pretty little bud wore a small round hat of sand-colored velvet with clusters of ostrich of the same shade extending downward from the back.

Miss Mildred Bromwell another of the season's buds, on a round of calls with her maternal grandmother

foundation. The georgette skirt is er, Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, was a charming and very elegant figure in a dark velvet gown, a gray squirrel coat, and the most fascinating little hat of silver and gray brocade.

Miss Alice Requa of California and Miss Margaret Simonds of South Carolina, are meeting the fallacy of an "exclusive" design in their debutante season, each in a beautiful gown of tulle satin and ostrich feathers. The latter are used more profusely on these gowns than on any others worn in Washington. There is a saving clause in the duplication of ostrich of the same shade as the delicate shade. The skirts are of, very narrow and of straight line, the over drapery of matching tulle cut in narrow panels below the waistline, with each panel finished in deep fringe of ostrich. The bodices are also ostrich trimmed with long angel sleeves of tulle.

The Housewife's Scrapbook.

Steam puddings will conserve fuel if cooked over a boiled dinner. Among the good steamed puddings are apple dumplings, rice and fruit timbales and Troy pudding.

A good device for outdoor stoveless cooking is a corn popper with a very long handle.

When cooking honey keep an asbestos mat under the saucepan, otherwise it may burn.

In the absence of a straw to take liquid through, a tube of macaroni may be used instead.

Never dip a cup into flour, but put the sifted flour into cup by spoonfuls and level it off with edge of knife.

The Sandman Story for Tonight.

By MRS. F. A. WALKER.

Snappy Puppy.

SNAPPY was a little puppy. He was full of fun, but the barnyard animals did not at all care for Snappy's way of having fun, for he often took their food and ran off with it where they could not get it. Snappy did not always want the things he carried off. He did it just for fun, but one day he took something that belonged to big Rover Dog, and Madam Duck, who disliked Snappy very much, had her revenge.

Snappy had often taken a big worm from Madam Duck's nose, and she wanted it, but just for fun he would chase her and pull the worm from her bill before she had a chance to eat it.

One day Madam Duck saw Snappy go to big Rover's dish and take out a bone. She knew quite well that Snappy was not old enough to snare a bone, and even if he could the bone belonged to Rover.

Madam Duck followed Snappy and saw him crawl under the fence with the bone, and she saw, too, that he left the end of his little tail sticking out from under the fence.

Did she run and tell Rover Dog that Snappy had stolen his bone, do you think?

Not at all. Madam Duck decided to punish Snappy in her own way and have the revenge all to herself.

She peeked through the fence, watching Snappy on his stomach, trying to gnaw the bone, and when he was very intent on his work she waddled over to where his little tail was lying on the ground.

Madam Duck looked at the tail. Then she opened her big bill and ran away to laugh, for she could tell exactly what would happen, and it was very funny.

BACK she ran, and this time she opened her bill and—Snap! It fastened on Snappy's tail. Madam Duck gave it a twist, while from Snappy, on the other side, came a loud wail.

Madam Duck had a strong bill, and she had a good grip on the tail as well, so she tugged and Snappy tried to pull his tail away, and then at once Madam Duck let go, and over tumbled Snappy on his little nose.

He did not stop to see what or who had caught his tail. He just ran for his life, and he ran so fast that he saw what had happened, and there they found Madam Duck laughing and holding her sides.

When she told them what had happened they all ran off to find Snappy, who was nursing the end of his tail in the sun by the barn door.

"Guess you won't go back to the barn any more," said Madam Duck, trying not to laugh. "I saw Snappy Turtle pulling at something

Sayings of Mrs. Solomon.

A Rake May Be Reformed, and a Dyspeptic Cured; but a Husband Who "Keepeth Tabs" Around the House—Who Can Beat It!

By Helen Rowland.

MY Daughter, have you a little CENSOR in your home? For, behold, not ALL the censures are in the postoffice nor all the detectives in the Secret Service.

Go to! A rake may be reformed, a dyspeptic cured and a grouch endured. But a Husband who keepeth TABS upon thee—who can bear it? He is a sand flea in the sleeve, a pebble in the heel, a hairpin that presseth on a tender nerve!

Lo, he ariseth in the morning, fresh to his task, and his words of greeting are a reveille.

"Wherefore, oh, Little One," he demandeth, "are there FOUR lights going when two would suffice, and why are there six towels displayed in the bathroom when four are enough? And what IS that which I detect burning in the kitchen? And WHO hath left the pantry door ajar and the icebox unfastened?"

He meeteth the postman at the door and pounceth upon him joyfully. He readeth his wife's letters to her.

He TELLETH her all the news in the morning paper.

He snoopecth in the icebox and counteth the eggs.

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He observeth the "corners" whether she hath swept them and the glasses how she hath polished them. He picketh on her continually.

He turneth into a BOLSHIEV! He instructeth his wife concerning the arrangement of her hair.

He restraineth her concerning her complexion.

He chooseth her hats and observeth the fit of her frocks. He waxeth wrath over a loose button, and a soiled glove causeth him pain.

When the house hath been decked and polished for a dinner party he enuthenth not, but goeth over it with a microscope—and findeth a cobweb upon the ceiling.

He watcheth his wife's ways in and then I heard you cry. I expect if he had pulled you under the fence he would have eaten you."

Snappy only blinked; he was too sad to reply; but he never went behind the barn again, so the ducks and hens had one place where they could hunt for worms without being bothered by Snappy, and for that they thanked Madam Duck.

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"Mamma," said Archie, coming in from out doors one frosty morning, "there's something the matter with me. Please send for the doctor; I'm breathing fog."

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Synopsis of Opening Installments

HUGH MORTEN WHITAKER, a prosperous young New York lawyer, is told by eminent physicians that he can not live more than six months, and on the same day he learns that the girl he loves has eloped with another man. He goes to a country town to kill himself. In a hotel there he finds Mary Ladislav, a miss of his own social class, about to swallow a fatal dose of poison because she has been deserted after eloping with her father's chauffeur. He induces her to marry him for the protection of his name and his money, since her family has cast her off. His new plan is to go away somewhere and wait for death to come to him naturally. He has just put his wife on a train for London when his friend, Peter Stark, who has been hunting for him, finds him, and tells him he intends to take him on a long yachting trip to the South Seas, and will not be denied.

(Continued from Saturday's Post-Dispatch.)

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WILFUL MISSING.

IT was 1 o'clock in the morning before Whitaker allowed himself to be reassured by the enforced every stubborn argument of Peter Stark's to overcome his resistance. It was a repetition of the episode of Mary Ladislav recast and rewritten: the stronger will overcome the admissions of a sane judgment. Whitaker gave in. "Oh, have your own way," he said at length, unconsciously iterating the words that had won him a bride. "If it must be."

Peter put him to bed, watched over him through the night, and the next morning carried him on to New Bedford, where they superintended the outfitting of Peter's yacht, the *Adventures*. Beyond drawing heavily on his bank and sending Drury a brief note, Whitaker failed to renew communication with his home. He sank into a state of semi-sympathetic content; he thought little of anything beyond the business of the moment; the preparation for what he was going to term his funeral cruise absorbed him to the exclusion of vain repinings or anxiety for the welfare of his adventurous wife. Apparently his sudden disappearance had not caused the least ripple on the surface of life in New York; the newspapers, at all events, slighted the circumstance unobtrusively; to his complete satisfaction.

Within the week the *Adventures* sailed. She was five months out of port before Whitaker began to be conscious that he was truly "accursed." There came a gradual thickening of the shadows that threatened to

eclipse his existence. And then, one day, they dined with the lonely trader of an isolated station in the D'Entrecasteaux Islands, he fell from his chair as if poleaxed. He regained consciousness only to shiver with the chill of the wind that fanned by the wings of death. It was impossible to move him. The agonies of the damned were his when, with exquisite gentleness, they lifted him to a bed. * * *

Stark sailed in the *Adventures* before sundown of the same day, purposing to fetch a surgeon from Port Moresby. Whitaker said a last farewell to his friend, knowing in his soul that they would never meet again. Then he composed himself to die quietly. But the following morning brought a haphazard trading schooner to the island, and with it, in the estate of supercargo, he found it easy to pick up a living by one means or another. Indeed, he played many parts in as many fields before joining hands with a young Englishman he had grown to like and entering upon what seemed a forlorn bid for fortune. Thereafter he prospered amazingly.

In those days his anomalous position in the world troubled him very little. He was a Wilful Missing and a missing man; he lived in open air, in virgin country, wrestling a fortune by main strength from the reluctant graps of Nature. He was one of the first two men to find and mine gold in paying quantities in the Owen Stanley country. * * *

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"There," they were years of such life in mind to go home. It was because he felt that duty called him; plain, everyday, human curiosity had something to do with his determination—a desire to see how New York was managing to get along without him—together with a dawning apprehension that there was an uncomfortable amount of truth in the surmising little ones of the world. He was in Melbourne at that time, with Lynch, his partner. Having prospered and laid by a lump of money, they had planned to finance a willing. The new life intrigued him amazingly; he lived in open air, in virgin country, wrestling a fortune by main strength from the reluctant graps of Nature. He was one of the first two men to find and mine gold in paying quantities in the Owen Stanley country. * * *

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abandon his new and pleasant ways of life in order to return and shatter hers? He was self-persuaded of his generosity toward the girl.

Casualty of the Wilful Missing! It's to be feared he had always a hard-headed way of considering matters in the light of ethical or legal morality. This is not to be taken as an attempt to defend the challenging signature of a man seven months dead. And as certainly and as quietly as the memory, Whitaker faded away; Hugh Morten took his place, and Sydney knew him no more, nor did any other parts where in he had answered to his rightful name.

The money stayed by him hand-somely. That was a strong constitution in a tough body (now that a malignant demon was exorcised), he found it easy to pick up a living by one means or another. Indeed, he played many parts in as many fields before joining hands with a young Englishman he had grown to like and entering upon what seemed a forlorn bid for fortune. Thereafter he prospered amazingly.

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Whitaker while the steamer worked up the Bay. The Singer Building was an unfamiliar sky-mark, but not more so than the Metropolitan Tower and the Woolworth. The Olympic docked at an impressive steel-and-concrete structure, new since his day; and Whitaker narrowly escaped a row with a taxi cab chauffeur because the fellow smiled imperceptibly when directed to drive to the Fifth Avenue Hotel.

A very few hours added amazingly to the catalogue of things that were not as they had been: a list so extensive and impressive that he was up to his ears in the matter of his life. In addition to unlearning all he had picked up abroad, and set himself with attentive ears pricked forward and an open mind to master the new, strange tongue his countrymen were speaking, if he were to make himself intelligible to them—and them to him, for that matter.

So he put up at the Ritz-Carlton, precisely as any foreigner might be expected to do, and remained Hugh Morten while he prowled around the city and found himself. Now and again in the course of his wanderings he encountered well-remembered faces, but always without eliciting the slightest gleam of recognition: circumstances that only went to prove how thoroughly dead and buried he was in the estimation of his day and generation.

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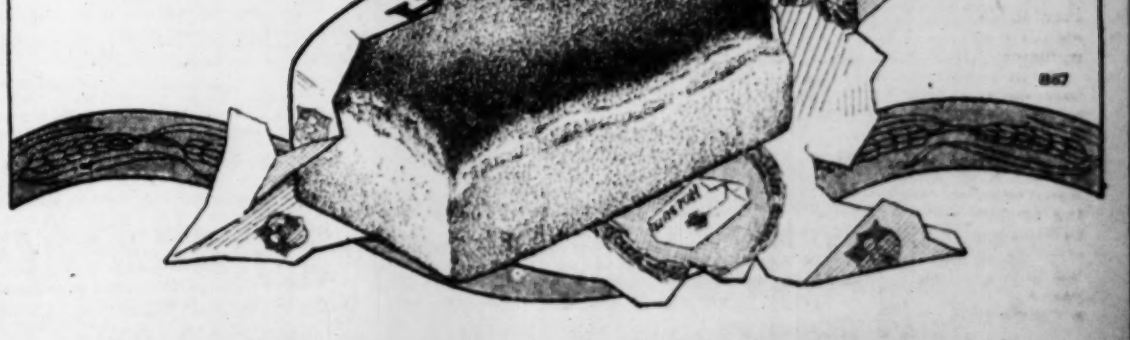
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PITCHING DUTIES WOULD JEOPARDIZE SISLER'S CAREER

"George Has 10 Years at One Job; 3 Years at Several," Bob Quinn Says.

NO EXPLOITATION NEEDED

Browns' Star Greater Player Than "Babe" Ruth Now; Lowdermilk Signs.

Branch Rickey's interview in yesterday's Post-Dispatch in which he pointed out that with proper exploitation, George Sisler could be made an even greater "drawing card" than "Babe" Ruth of the Red Sox, has caused no end of discussion among baseball men locally. Jimmy Burke of the Browns thought well of Rickey's suggestion that Sisler be allowed to pitch as well as play first base. Business Manager Bob Quinn has taken a very emphatic opposite stand.

Quinn has many reasons—well founded ones, too—for his opposition to the scheme proposed by Rickey. Discussing the subject, the Browns' business manager said:

"Sisler is a specialist at first base. This is an age of specialists in baseball. The time has ceased to exist when clubs hire a man to play regularly at three or four positions. I consider George Sisler the greatest specialist and by all odds the greatest player in the game now. He is primarily a specialist at first base, hence why risk destroying his effectiveness and great ability at this one position for the sake of exploiting his several abilities?"

The idea of comparing Sisler as a batter with Ruth is absurd. Ruth is a hitter of the slam bang type. Sisler is a scientific batsman, placing his safeties, whereas Ruth, in my opinion, simply closes his eyes and swings.

"I would consider it a grave injustice to Sisler to ask him to pitch and play first base, too. It would certainly shorten his baseball career, for while he has 10 years in the major leagues at one position, he would have but three or four if he were performing at several. There is also the injury hazard to be considered. If Sisler would injure his arm pitching it might put him out of the game for all time.

Winning Club Greatest "Card." "There might be great advertising value in asking Sisler to follow the course of Ruth. But the greatest method of advertising in baseball is in having the club up in the race and Sisler can materially assist in putting it there. When Al Walker and Bill Hamman, 2004 to 1909, the 2004 total is the best shot in any two man match here this season. Pitts shot good tonight, getting 973, with 201-high and 185 low.

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Still Another.

The Burglar's Benevolent Association at their regular weekly meeting on Saturday night, passed a vote of confidence in the Mayor's ability to put the United Rys. in the clear.

A fight against similar action was made at the meeting of the Yeggen's Union. It was claimed that the company didn't pay union wages, and still owed for the last job.

No Honor Among—

The Petty Larceny and Pickpocket's Protective Association, it is thought, will not endorse the settlement on account of the company's recent unethical action in firing a number of their members on the plea that they were taking their rake-off with a nonunion rake.

The man on the sand box says that some people distribute themselves all over the street car and then when somebody steps on their toe they get sore.

Owing to his engagement to fight Jess Willard on July 4, the Dempsey-Misike series will be discontinued for the nonce.

HIPPE AND J. SCHMITT STAR IN PIN MATCHES

Former Averaged 206 and Later 201 in Clashes on Local Drives Yesterday.

"Chuch" Hippe and Julie Schmitt proved the stars in the special bowling matches staged on the local drives yesterday. The former shot 206-1-5, while the latter, bowling at the Congress, had a 201-1-5 mark. Schmitt had four games over the double century mark and Hippe three. Hippe, however, had a 243 count.

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SCREW CO. PROTESTS GAME WITH SCULLINS

Goal on Free Kick Was Not Allowed by Kavanaugh—Innis-falls and Millers Tie.

Acting Manager Johnny Miller of the St. Louis Soccer League protested yesterday's 0 to 0 game with the Scullins on the ground that a goal scored by Joe Kennedy on a free kick should have been allowed. Referee Kavanaugh ruled that the point did not score. The Ben Millers held the Innisfalls to a 1-1 draw in the other clash at Cardinal Field.

The protest of the Screw Co. will be heard by the league committee at a meeting of the managers this week. On the play in question, Zarschell fouled just outside the penalty area, and the Ben Millers took advantage of the situation by taking a free kick. Kennedy was elected to kick and booted the sphere past Brady. However, the referee ruled that the ball did not go into the net and Kavanaugh did not allow the score.

Miller, in filing the protest, stated that the ball did not necessarily have to be touched by another player before allowed to go as a score.

This was the only thing that looked like a goal that was tallied by either eleven during the 60 minutes of cleanly fought soccer.

In the closing encounter, the leading Innisfalls had a lead of 1 goal up to 5 minutes before the close of the game, when Nick Kelly, center halfback, sent the ball past McGraw for the tying marker. Schweppe counted for the Irishmen early in the closing period, after the pair had been tied 1-1.

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Bowling Schedule

BUSINESS MEN'S LEAGUE.
Washington: Alley—Stauders vs. Lueders; Hood Tires vs. Helberts; Liberty vs. United Bakery; Columbia vs. Fellhauers; General Electric vs. Hartmann; Lutters vs. Longos.

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE.
Congress Alley—Schweiglers vs. Rudwalsers; Bexos vs. Katters.

SCHUPP, HIMSELF AGAIN, OFFSETS LOSS OF SAL.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Friends of the New York Giants will be pleased to learn that Slim Sallee has retired from the game. This news was conveyed to local headquarters by no less indisputable authority than John T. McGraw himself. The vice president and manager of the New York Nationals in vain spent almost an entire day with the veteran southpaw, but was unable to influence him to change his mind about retiring.

Sallee has a farm near Higginsport, Ind. McGraw visited him and found him busy as the proverbial bee making for great agricultural undertakings the coming year.

While Sallee will be lost, McGraw's loss is not irremediable, however. In the West, McGraw found that Ferdie Schupp, invaluable last season, has apparently recovered all his old-time vigor and strength. A neurotic ailment which disabled Schupp's pitching arm has apparently responded fully to treatment.

ARMY AND NAVY TEAMS WILL PLAY ON NOV. 29

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 10.—From a reliable authority here it was learned today that the War and Navy Departments will announce in a few days that the football teams of the Naval and Military Academies will meet on Nov. 29 next. This is a week later than the date left open on both schedules and will permit one more home game for each.

The regulations which governed sports prior to the war will be resumed, and this will permit the annual baseball game with West Point May 21, an Academy football tournament of the Intercollegiate Football Association and Academy games in the American Hockey at Philadelphia.

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'BIG THREE' TO RESUME PRE-WAR SPORT BASIS

Princeton Demands Place in Sun With Yale and Harvard in Major Events.

Yale, Harvard and Princeton athletic authorities are digesting views interchanged at a conference last week, the keynote of which was that all sports be resumed on a pre-war basis.

The aggressiveness of Princeton demands was one of the features at the meeting of athletic heads. Princeton made several demands over which the other university authorities are pondering heavily. The first was that Princeton should no longer be the "wall flower" while Harvard and Yale bled in the final of the "Big Three" each football year. Princeton wants to enjoy the preferred position of concluding the season every third year, insisting that the privilege be made relative.

Another demand of the Tigers was that it be admitted to the Harvard-Yale regatta circles, including with the demand another that the main event be reduced from four to three or even two miles.

That the alliance of the "Big Three" schools will be more strongly cemented than ever before is the prevailing belief.

Hard Season for Tigers. There has been a big change in Princeton football policy and a general upheaval among the Tigers' opponents. Princeton is picking few soft spots for next fall. It has come to realize that a team which is expected to go into the big games hard and fit cannot reach that condition by picking on soft eleven.

Speedy Rush again is the choice for football coach at Princeton, and there is little doubt that Tad Jones will go back to Yale and Percy Daughton to Harvard.

Daughton has freed himself of his baseball duties with the Boston Nationals and will have more time for his football work.

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Lucile the Waitress

By BIDE DUDLEY.

"We had a great argument on Prohibition in here this morning," said Lucile the waitress to the Friendly Patrol.

"You know it," said Lucile. "A fellow sitting right next to where you're hibernating gives me a kind of a flat, empty smile and says: 'Did you notice what a victory we won over the drinking business?'"

"I give him one look. 'Where do you get that 'We'?'" I says. "I didn't have nothing to do with it. I'm a nice, quiet working girl, with a mother and a landlord to support."

"I mean the Prohibitionists," he explains. Then he says soon liquor will be banished from America. I'm neither here nor there to see what he's vibrating on, but a victim with a large, ruby nose was nearly saddled onto himself."

"Listen," he says. "That law won't stand. Why shouldn't I be able to buy a drink if I want one?"

"Maybe you haven't got the price," I says. You see, I just wanted to mix 'em up good so as to entertain the other victims. It gets his nunny."

"Aw, gwan," he shoots back. "What do you know about law and the fungus-mental principles of rights?"

"The question of price doesn't enter in," says the old 'dry' boy.

"Say, listen," I says. You go over to Gilbooley's place across the street and try to graft a drink and I'll be your partner all right."

"I mean, says Mister 'Dry,' that no matter how much money a man's got he won't be able to buy a drink. 'I've seen those popular guys,'" says. But none of 'em ever had nothing to do with the Constitution of the United States."

"My goodness!" says he. "Can it be possible that any one is so ignorant? Didn't you never go to school?"

"I just smile, and retain my composure."

"The Prohibitionist shuts up and the other guy takes up the subject. 'I'll keep right on drinking the same,' he says."

"If that's the case," I says pert-like. "I'll take the same."

"Well, sir, the 'wet' one gets up and leaves. The 'dry' one sees him going and ditches. They go out together scowling at me and talking."

"And that was the last you saw of them, I presume," said the Friendly Patron, disinterestedly.

"Not on your Rogues' Gallery type," said Lucile. "Two minutes later I see 'em both going into Gilbooley's place, arm in arm."

"You did?"

"Yes. And when they come out you couldn't tell which was 'dry' and which was 'wet.' Will you try some of the soup today? I wish you would. I want to get a line on it. Three men have already suggested that the chef got it mixed up with the dishwasher."

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Let the Wedding Bells Ring Out.

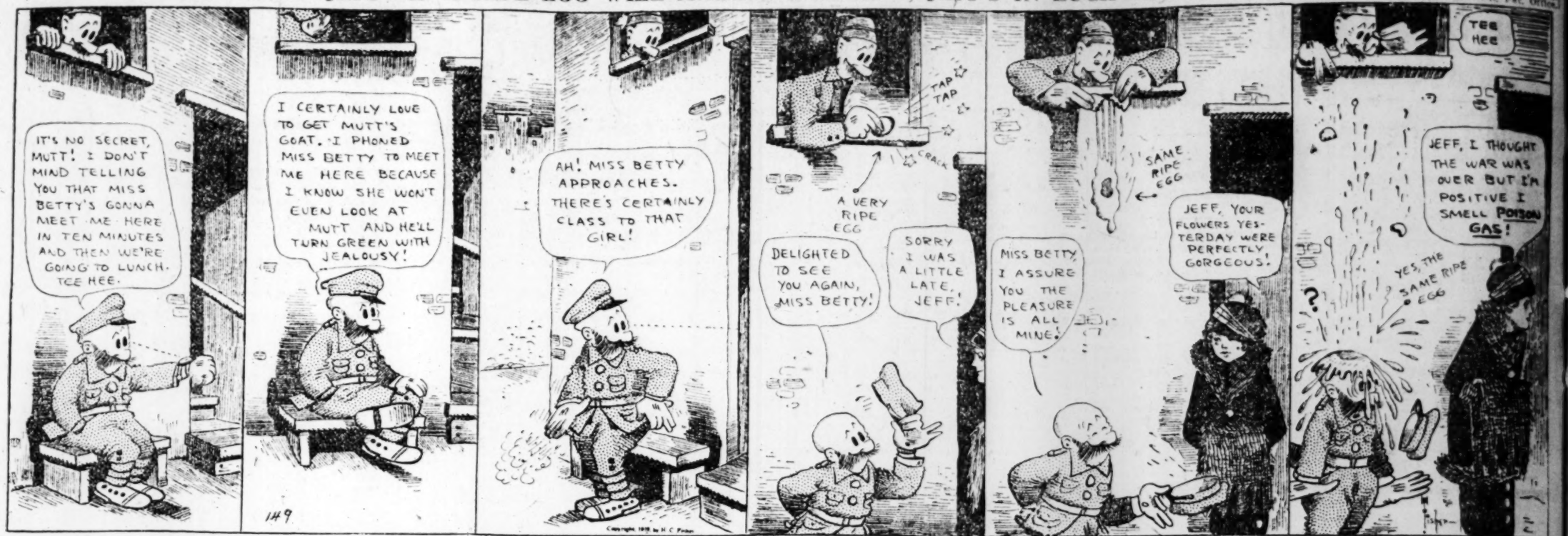


PENNY ANTE—Ladies' Night.

By Jean Knott



MUTT AND JEFF—IF A RIPE EGG WILL MAKE HAIR GROW, JEFF'S IN LUCK—By BUD FISHER



"SAY, POP!"—POP DISLIKES "UNUSUAL SEVERITY"—By PAYNE



ABROAD IN 1919—By GOLDBERG—THE AMERICAN DOUGHBOYS ARE NOW FIGHTING IN THE "BATTLE OF PARIS"



Not Far Wrong.

THE bashful bachelor on the fifth floor recently encountered a neighbor, a young mother, and, wishing to be neighborly, asked: "How is your little girl, Mrs. Jones?"

"My little boy is quite well, I thank you, Mr. Smith," replied the proud mother.

"Oh, it's a boy?" exclaimed the bachelor in confusion. "I knew it was one or the other."—Harper's Magazine.

Her Need Was Great.

"SHE" was a small, dirty and wretched street gamine. "Please, sir," she said to the benevolent-looking old gentleman, "give me a nickel."

"Do you go to church, little girl?" he asked.

She admitted she did not.

"Then I'm afraid I can't give you the nickel," said the benevolent gentleman. "I only give nickels to little girls who go to church."

The child looked at him a long time. Then she sighed. "Where is your church?" she asked resignedly, and held out her hand. —Kansas City Star.

The Literary Farmer.

"CAN a literary man do anything on a farm?"

"Sure. If he makes a success of it he can write wise articles telling people how to do it. If not he can write funny stuff about his failures." —Kansas City Journal.

How Death Was Caused.

WE were beginning to believe that the flu was the only cause of death in our fair land, but the editor of a monthly bulletin of vital statistics finds the following in reports of causes of death sent to him:

"Died suddenly, nothing serious."

"Went to bed feeling well, but woke up dead."

"Patient should not have died, as he fully recovered from his sickness."

"The cause of death was his mother died in infancy."

"Don't know cause of death. He died without the aid of a physician."

"Kicked by horse shod on left kidney."

"Died from blow on the head with ax. Contrabitory cause was another man's wife."

"Deceased died from blood poisoning caused by broken ankle, when an automobile struck him between the lamp and the radiator."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Forestalling Argument.

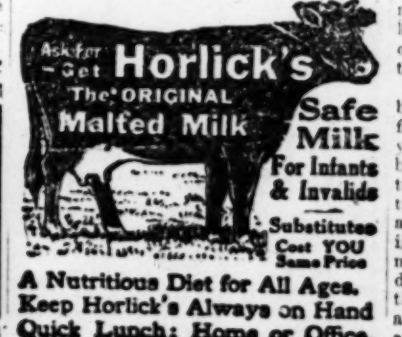
"WE don't understand some of the things you said in that speech of yours," said the constituent.

"Then," replied Senator Sorkum, gently, "you should not find fault with me. What you do not thoroughly understand you cannot intelligently disapprove of."—Washington Star.

When Company Drops In for Luncheon

IT used to be that when company dropped in unexpectedly about lunch time I had to open a can of sardines or something else that looked like what it was—a makeshift. But now I'm not a bit worried no matter how many of them there are, because I know that with very little trouble I can get the best salad they ever tasted.

I boil some eggs hard and cool them by putting them under the cold water for a minute. Then I take out the yolks, crumble them, and mix with butter, salt, pepper and AI Sauce to taste. I put the mixture back into the whites and serve on lettuce with any kind of dressing. I happen to have in the house. It's the AI Sauce that makes all the difference between ordinary stuffed eggs and the flavor of this wonderful salad, that no one but a French chef has ever before been able to get.—ADV.



What Tired Him.

THERE is an elevator boy in a New York office building, who is among a large number of public servants that resent needless questions.

One day there entered his car a rather fussy old lady, and garrulous as well.

"Don't you ever feel sick going up and down in this elevator all day?" she asked.

"Yes, ma'am," said the boy.

"Is it the motion going down?"

"No, ma'am."

"The motion going up?"

"No, ma'am."

"Is it the stopping that does it?"

"No, ma'am."

"Then what is it?"

"Answering questions, ma'am."

—Everybody's Magazine.

Progress.

"WHEN a girl she never could be made to hold her tongue."

"And now?"

"Why, now she gets a thousand dollars a week for singing into a graphophone."—Florida Times-Union.

Evidence of Prosperity.

"Why has your landlord again started to dun you for that back rent?"

"He caught me buying a new pair of shoes today."—Life.

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"Lost" in France.

A N old colored woman met a younger friend whose husband was in the army, and the following conversation ensued:

"An' hab yo' heard 'um Jim lately?"

"Yas, Jes had a lettah yesterday."

"An' what is he now?"

"Well, Ah don't know jes what His lettah says he's somewhere in France, but he kaint tell jes what."

"Ah knew it! Ah knew it! Ah tol' yo' all de time date fool Ah tol' go ober dere an' git hisself lost."

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